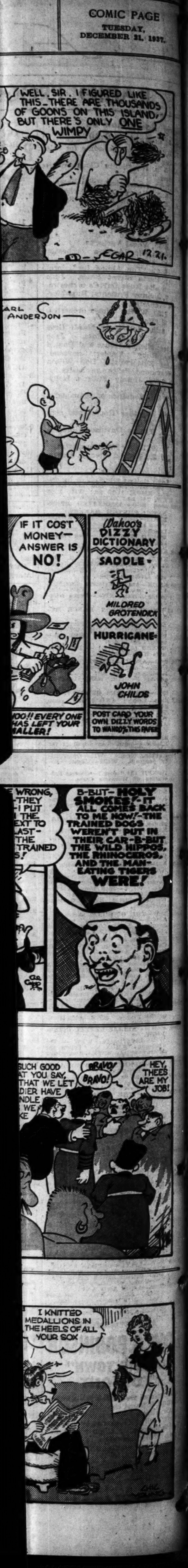

**Trend of Today's Markets**

Stocks heavy. Bonds irregular. Curb mixed. Foreign exchange steady. Cotton lower. Wheat lower. Corn weak.

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# LOYALISTS TAKE TERUEL; REBELS FALL BACK 6 MILES

## Both Sides Report Capitulation of Strategic City After Week's Siege by Government Forces on Lower Aragon Front.

## THOUSANDS OF MEN DEAD OR WOUNDED

## Fighting Goes on in Surrounding Territory —Insurgents Announce Recapture of Positions West of the Town.

By the Associated Press.

HENDAYE, French - Spanish Frontier, Dec. 22.—Loyalist troops captured strategic Teruel today after a week of hard fighting which gave the Spanish Government its first important victory since last June's offensive west of Madrid.

Confirmation of the fall of Teruel, insurgent strong point at the southernmost tip of the Aragon front, came from both insurgent and Government headquarters, along with reports of thousands of casualties.

The battle, regarded as the first major test of the Government's strength since insurgent Generalissimo Francisco Franco concentrated his forces in Aragon, was still continuing around the city. The insurgents, at the latest report, had recaptured a fortified position at Los Morrones west of Teruel. The rebels said they wiped out the Government's Lister brigade of foreign volunteers.

Insurgent officers said reports indicated Franco would re-establish his line from Albarracin across the Teruel-Zaragoza highway about six miles north of Teruel.

**Final Night of Fighting.**

Government troops fought their way across a ravine last night to attack an old Teruel fortress where the insurgent defenders made a stand.

The Government's communique reported that the Eighteenth Army Corps, advancing from the southeast, crossed "over and under" an aqueduct into the old quarter known as the "City of Rock."

The "City of Rock" is protected on the south and southeast by the ravine which is traversed by the aqueduct, and on the southwest by the Guadalaviar River.

The central point of the insurgent resistance was the five-story comandancia (headquarters building) opposite the aqueduct which spans the ravine to Las Cuevas, a section of the city on the southeast.

The upper floors of the commandancia were used for barracks for civil guardsmen and its cellars were connected with an elaborate system of underground tunnels through which messengers and supplies reached the comandancia during Government air attacks since the start of the war.

After the combat, which brought occupation of Las Cuevas and the southern part of Teruel, Government machine-gunners across the ravine from the "City of Rock" opened fire and forced the defenders to abandon the first line of shelters and dugouts.

**Action of Other Troops.**

Meanwhile, Government reports said, other troops which had reached the railroad station fought their way up the promenade over the Turio River Valley and emplaced machine-guns on the Calle de la Democracia leading to the center of the city.

Fifty thousand soldiers took part in the Government's drive to smash the Teruel spearhead which had constantly threatened to split the Government's coastal territory between Valencia and Barcelona or to sever Madrid-Valencia communications.

Madrid hailed the success at Teruel as the greatest in the 17 months' old civil conflict. The last Teruel census showed 12,000 inhabitants but refugees were believed to have swelled the city to 20,000 or 25,000. It is the largest city yet reported captured by the Government.

The civilian population, the Government said, emerged from subterranean hiding places and welcomed the Government troops with "wild demonstrations of enthusiasm."

Gen. Jose Miaja, commander of the Government forces on the Madrid front, said, "Eastern Spain has now been secured against enemy

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## RAIN PROBABLE TONIGHT; COLDER, FAIR TOMORROW

THE TEMPERATURES.

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Yesterday's high, 55 (2:30 p. m.); low, 31 (5 a. m.).

DAYLIGHT IS WORKING A 9-HOUR DAY.
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Official forecast for St. Louis and vicinity: Cloudy tonight, probably with rain; tomorrow fair; colder, lowest temperature tonight about 32.

Missouri: Considerable cloudiness tonight and tomorrow; rain in south and extreme east central portions tonight, and probably in southeast portion tomorrow morning, may change to snow; colder tonight, except in extreme southeast portion; colder tomorrow in south and east central portions.

Illinois: Mostly cloudy tonight and tomorrow, rain probable in south and east central portions, may change to snow; colder tonight, except in extreme south portion, much colder in north portion; much colder tomorrow.

## GOVERNMENT TO GIVE PARTY CHRISTMAS FOR OIL JURORS

### Fourteen Men, Who Have Been Locked Up, Will Greet Families in Court Room.

By the Associated Press.

MADISON, Wis., Dec. 22.—Uncle Sam will give a Christmas party for the "trial bound" jurors in the Government's gasoline price fixing case against major oil companies.

The trial recessed last Thursday until Dec. 28 and everyone but the 14 men, including two alternates, who were selected to judge the evidence, went home for the holidays.

Under Judge Patrick T. Stone's orders that they must remain sequestered until the trial ends, the jurors had to stay in Madison in the custody of Marshal John Comeford.

A tree with all the trimmings has been erected in the court room. Jurors made up lists of presents they wished to give members of their families and bailiffs did their shopping.

In the presence of court officials they may meet their families in the court rooms and exchange presents, but everything, including greeting cards, will be censored. On Christmas day the jurors will partake of a holiday menu.

## COST OF SPECIAL SESSION $325,000; MILEAGE $223,000

### Estimate Doesn't Include Salaries or Incidental Expenses Paid on Yearly Basis.

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22.—Capitol officials estimated today the 37-day special session of Congress cost about $325,000, not including such items as salaries of Senators and Representatives, which are $10,000 a year, and much incidental expense which is paid on an annual basis without regard to how many times Congress meets.

About $223,000 of the total expense went for travel pay for members of the Senate and House, on the basis of 20 cents a mile for the round trip between the members' homes and Washington, although few members will return home for the holidays.

The next largest item was for stationery. This cost was estimated at $55,000 for the House and $12,000 for the Senate. The pay of Senate and House pages totaled about $12,000.

## WAITRESSES BUY A HALL

### Local to Move Into Building at Jefferson and Lafayette Jan. 15.

Jeffla Hall, at the southeast corner of Jefferson and Lafayette avenues, has been purchased by the Waitresses' Union, Local No. 249, Mrs. Kitty Amsler, international vice-president of the Hotel, Restaurant and Bartenders' Union, and financial secretary of the affiliated waitresses' local, announced today.

The building, a three-story brick structure, with 23 office rooms and meeting halls, has been headquarters and a meeting place of social, labor and fraternal organizations for years. It was built as the home of the Union Club, fashionable South Side organization.

Mrs. Amsler declined to tell the purchase price. The building was bought from the Unit Improvement Co. The waitresses' local, which now has its offices in the German House, 2345 Lafayette avenue, will take possession Jan. 15, and will continue to rent the meeting halls and offices.

**Gov. Lehman Grants Six Pardons.**

ALBANY, N. Y., Dec. 22.—Gov. Lehman today granted Christmas pardons to four men and two women now serving sentences in New York prisons. One of the men, Samuel Mullett, convicted in 1928, of escaping from prison, also was serving a life term as a fourth offender. He will be on parole for life.

# FRAUD FOUND IN REGISTRATION IN KANSAS CITY

## Questionable Applications From 697 Persons to Be Taken Before Grand Jury Monday.

## IRREGULARITIES FROM G. P. BOURK DISTRICT

## Same Date and Place of Birth Given So Only "One Pedigree" Would Have to Be Remembered.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 22.—Evidence of wholesale attempts at fraud in the applications to register here will be placed before the Jackson County grand jury when it convenes Monday.

Election Board employes yesterday uncovered 697 questionable applications to register and the questionable applications were laid before the Election Board members. The commissioners examined the applications, declared they believed widepsread fraud to be evident and called in W. W. Graves, prosecutor. Graves examined part of them, then said: "There's no question that something is wrong. Anyone can see it." Graves told the board he proposed to place the evidence before the grand jury and requested the board to send Deputy Commissioner Jack R. Swift to the grand jury with fraudulent applications, and said he would instruct George Maitland, Assistant Prosecutor, to ask the grand jury to examine the evidence.

Graves and the commissioners discussed the new registration law, and it was decided the matter would be given to the grand jury under Section 63 of the new act. That section provides that anyone who shall unlawfully register or attempt to register shall upon conviction be deemed guilty of a felony. The penalty is from two to five years' imprisonment. That provision is mentioned on the face of each application blank. The same section also provides that anyone who attempts to have someone else register fraudulently shall be guilty of a felony.

**Many Unknown at Addresses.**

The Election Board, after conferring with Graves, sent out three crews of Deputy Commissioners this morning to try to find persons whose names appeared on questionable applications. A preliminary telephone canvass last night of several names showed that most, if not all, of the names included in this hasty check were of persons unknown at the addresses from which they presumably were attempting to register.

The first deputies to report after a morning of searching said they could find only one of the 12 applicants they were assigned to find.

It had been known that election crooks would try to beat the provisions of the new law. That law provides for a master file of voters in alphabetical order for the entire city. The alphabetical file put a stop to the old custom under which one person registered under his own name in several different precincts.

In addition, the new law provides that the precinct registers shall be made up in numerical order by street number, beginning with the lowest number and running to the highest number on each street in a precinct. That provision gives the Election Board a close check on all street addresses in the city.

Election Board officials took a further precaution. They planned to scrutinize applications to see whether the same birth date, place of birth, period of residence in Missouri and Kansas City, and employment were being used for different persons. By using such a method a ghost of election would have only one "pedigree" to worry him and could register under that pedigree, using different names in as many precincts.

**1173 From Committeeman's Wife.**

More than 200,000 blanks were in the office Monday night. Among the last to be taken in were 1173 from the Second Ward, presented by Mrs. Lois Settle, wife of Dr. Harry F. Settle, Republican County Commiteeman from the Second Ward.

Yesterday morning Swift and Lewis Ellis, Republican, secretary of the board, examined a few of the applications. They discovered that on many applications only a slight attempt had been made to conceal the fraud, and in a few minutes they found 20 or more of applications on which incredible coincidences of birth dates and other informaion appeared.

In all, 83 groups of applications, each group having the same birth date, were discovered. There were from eight to 24 persons in each group. Those 83 groups accounted for 697 applications for the right to vote.

# ROOSEVELT WARNS HOUSE CHAIRMAN TO CUT ROAD FUND

## If Budget Is Exceeded Congress and Democratic Party "Must Accept Responsibility."

## LETTER IS REPLY TO CARTWRIGHT

## President Declares "Facts May Be Unpalatable, but They Are Perfectly True."

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22.—President Roosevelt reaffirmed his intention to cut Federal spending today and asserted that Congress and its Democratic majority "must accept full responsibility" if his budget estimates are exceeded.

In a letter to Chaisman Cartwright (Dem.), Oklahoma, of the House Roads Committee, Roosevelt said:

"The Congress has a perfect right constitutionally to exceed the budget, but, if the budget is exceeded, obviously the Congress must accept full responsibility, and obviously, the Democratic members, which have such a large majority in the Congress, must equally accept the full responsibility."

The letter, made public by Cartwright, indorsed again a reduction in road expenditures as a means of helping to balance the budget. No action on the recommendation was taken at the special session just closed, and the Bureau of Public Roads is going ahead with arrangements to apportion $214,000,000 to states for highway improvements.

The text of the President's letter follows:

My Dear Mr. Cartwright:

Thank you for your letter of Dec. 16th. I have understood fully your problems as chairman of the Committee on Roads, and, frankly, having served in a legislative body myself, I appreciate the pulling and hauling when it comes to getting a slice of the Government's expenditures for one's own projects.

Also, may I tell you that if we had all the money in the world to spend I would gladly go ahead with road-building in every county in the United States on an even greater scale than we are doing at the present time.

But there are two factors which I know you will consider.

1. The administration is making an honest effort to cut the budget down to a figure which will closely approximate the estimated tax receipts. That means that we ought to cut off appropriations which may be desirable but which are not essential.

That brings me to the second problem—the problem of what Einstein would call "relativity." Where can we cut? That is a matter, first, for the President to make recommendations, and, secondly, for the Congress to decide whether the recommendations for cuts should be carried out or changed by substituting different cuts.

As you know, up to 1929, the average amount of Federal aid to road building in the United States was less than $100,000,000 a year and now under authorizations and appropriations it will run to between $200,000,000 and $300,000,000 a year.

Also, as you doubtless know, money spent on Federal aid highways takes very few people directly off the relief roles. It is true that many of the contractors' regular forces are kept at work and some people are put to work making cement, steel binder and other materials. Nevertheless, the fact remains that Federal aid highways give relatively little help to the several million Americans who are actually in pressing need. Local farm-to-market roads give a far higher percentage of relief employment than the Federal aid roads.

Therefore, speaking again of "relativity," if I have to get the budget down to a certain figure, obviously I must eliminate the proposed expenditures which provide the least work and favor those expenditures which give the most work.

The Congress has a perfect right constitutionally to exceed the budget, but, if the budget is exceeded, obviously the Congress must accept full responsibility, and obviously the Democratic members, which have such a large majority in Congress, must equally accept the full responsibility.

If the Congress decides to keep on spending between two and

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# 370 HELD, ACCUSED OF PLOTTING 'RED' REVOLT IN JAPAN

## Parliament Member and Several Former Professors Among Those Taken in Widespread Raids.

## PROPAGANDA AGAINST WAR WAS SPREAD

## Three Parties, Alleged to Have Directed Communistic Movement, Ordered Dissolved.

By the Associated Press.

TOKIO, Dec. 22.—Police said today their secret arrest of 370 suspected agitators had bared activities for a "general revolution based on Communism."

A member of Pariiament and several former university professors were held on suspicion of conspiring in Communist and pacifist movements. They were rounded up in a nation-wide series of raids at dawn last Wednesday.

"The main point of their movement apparently was to lead a general revolution based on Communism," the Metropolitan Police Board said.

"Since the outbreak of the Chinese incident they have used every opportunity to spread anti-war propaganda throughout the nation.

"Therefore, the authorities have been forced to arrest those who violated the peace preservation law, disputed the private property system and sought to change the state structure."

**Three Organizations Accused.**

Police declared three organizations—the Labor-Farmer party, the Proletarian party and the All-Japan Council of Labor-Farmer Unions—directed the alleged movements.

The Home Ministry immediately ordered dissolution of the three parties as disturbers of the peace. Police said they confiscated radical literature, documents and information on Leftist movements throughout the world in a raid on their headquarters.

News reports by the Communist party in the United States, police asserted, were sent to Japan.

They said seized documents showed a program of opposition to Fascism and war; co-operation in world-wide Social Democratic movements; instruction to shape campaigns to conditions in various nations, and employment of legal methods for fostering their activities wherever possible.

An effect of the last measure, they said, were proletarian demands for regular labor wages for soldiers in the Chinese campaign, attempts to force commodity prices up and efforts to influence Japan's international diplomacy.

**Notable Persons Arrested.**

Kanju Kato, a member of Parliament and chairman of the executive committee of the Proletarian party, was one of those arrested. Four former university educators known to have been arrested are Tsunao Inomata and Kanson Arahata, formerly of Waseda University; Gitaro Omoro, former Tokio University professor, and Itsuro Sakisaka of Kyushu Imperial University.

Mosaburo Suzuki, member of the Tokio Municipal Assembly; Inosuke Nakanishi, a noted author, and other leaders of the three parties also were taken prisoner.

The largest group, 180 persons, were arrested in Tokio.

Only two women were known to have been arrested. They were Baroness Shizue Ishimoto, widely known in the United States, and Taiko Hirabayashi, a writer.

The Baroness, a graduate of the Peeress' School, is a director and editor of the Japanese Women's Encyclopaedism.

**Arrested Baroness Active Birth Control Advocate.**

The Baroness Shizue Ishimoto has been known as "the Margaret Sanger of Japan" because of her advocacy of birth control and woman's rights. On her frequent visits to the United States, on several of which she made lecture tours, she conferred repeatedly with Miss Sanger, adopting many of the American birth control advocate's methods of publicity for her cause in Japan.

In Japan her lectures often shocked her audiences. A year ago she asserted in a speech that Japanese women were treated with no more respect than idiots or lunatics, saying: "Women of Japan might as well live in the seventeenth century so far as their personal liberties are concerned. . . The present reactionary regime decrees women shall become household machines, producing children to become human bombs or to meet the demands for cheap labor."

## Alleged "Red" Arrested in Japan

—Associated Press Wirephoto.

BARONESS SHIZUE ISHIMOTO.

*As she appeared in Boston during her American lecture tour early this year.*

# Japanese Foreign Office Says Machine Gun Bullets Intended for Chinese May Have Hit Panay

## Explanation Offered in 'Interim Report' Which States Surface Boats Were Firing on Enemy Craft at the Time.

By the Associated Press.

TOKIO, Dec. 22. — The Foreign Office, in what it called an "interim report" on the sinking of the United States gunboat Panay by Japanese planes, announced today Japanese surface boats were machine-gunning Chinese at the time "and there might have been stray bullets flying toward the Panay" from these surface boats.

The report said also that the Japanese flyers, who sank the gunboat in the Yangtze River above Nanking, also bombed Japanese troops and killed two soldiers despite the fact the troops waved 10 Japanese flags.

"It has been reported that when the Panay was bombed army launches fired on the gunboat and also that Japanese soldiers boarded the Panay," the statement said.

"Japanese military authorities have done everything in their power to ascertain the facts regarding the incident. Unfortunately, various army units are scattered over a wide area and means of communication are inadequate, so investigations have been delayed.

"Investigations still are progressing, conducted by military authorities on the spot in co-operation with a staff officer of imperial headquarters who was dispatched from Tokio after the incident."

**Previous Statement Reversed.**

The Foreign Office, which at first denied the Panay was fired on, reversed its statement several days ago and said the point to be cleared up was whether the Panay or the Japanese fired first.

The United States Government has sent two communications demanding compensation for bombing of the Panay and three Standard Oil vessels, and assurance that similar attacks would not occur in the future.

The Foreign Office report said:

"So far it is established that Japanese soldiers boarded the Panay with friendly intentions (after the bombing), but no evidence was discovered showing the ship was the target of intentional shooting.

"At approximately 2 p. m. Dec. 12, a certain unit of motor launches left Taiping for Pukow. In the course of the journey downstream, two launches, acting as scouts, met at a point below Taiping five steam vessels which they judged were being use by Chinese troops and accordingly returned to report the discovery to their main unit.

"On receipt of this report the entire unit landed on the right bank of the river. While watching they saw Japanese naval aircraft bomb the above-mentioned group of vessels. The distance between the ships and the army unit then was about 2000 meters (about a mile).

"The Japanese soldiers saw wounded from the first ship being carried toward the shore. Immediately after the second bombing a commander approached the ship and discovered it was American. Thereupon he immediately ordered

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# BABY CONTEST WILL UPHELD IN CANADA

## Supreme Court Leaves to Ontario Judges Task of Awarding $500,000 Mothers' Prize.

By the Associated Press.

OTTAWA, Ont., Dec. 22 (Canadian Press)—The Supreme Court of Canada upheld today the will of Charles Vance Millar, which provided that his estate, estimated at more than $500,000, should go to the mother or mothers giving birth to the most children in Toronto between Oct. 31, 1926, and Oct. 31, 1936.

The Supreme Court left to Ontario courts the task of determining the mother or mothers entitled to the money. Thirteen mothers have filed claims. The five leading contenders have nine children each.

The question of illegitimate children entered into the Supreme Court judgment, the opinion upholding the Ontario Court of Appeal's ruling that illegitimate children are not to be counted. This ruling affects one of the leading contenders.

Validity of the will was questioned by two relatives of the wealthy Toronto lawyer. Arabella West and Alexander Butcher, the relatives, contended the will was contrary to public policy.

The relatives contested clause nine, which left the residue of the estate to the mother or mothers of the largest number of children born in the 10 years after Millar's death. Other clauses left brewery shares to clergymen and race track shares to opponents of horse racing.

# PART OF ITALIAN CASTLE FALLS ON VILLAGE, 19 KILLED

## Foundation, on Cliff Above Homes, Gives Way; Rest Standing But Expected to Go, Too.

FORLI, Italy, Dec. 22.—Nineteen were killed and two injured early today as a stone precipice, foundation for the medieval Castle of Fusercoli, collapsed on three small homes in the village of Civittella Di Romagna.

The greater part of the castle (on a cliff above the homes), remained standing, but its fall was believed imminent because of the lost foundations. One squad of workmen threw supports against the structure while others extricated bodies from the ruins below.

The castle was the unoccupied property of Marquis Giuseppe Di Bagno-Guidi, a Senator who lives in Rome. Recent heavy rains are believed to have weakened the foundations.

# CHINESE LINE BROKEN 30 MILES FROM HANGCHOW

## One of Invaders' Columns Advances on Port South of Shanghai — Bombers Appear Over Tsingtao, Which Fears Attack.

## U. S. SHIPS READY TO AID AMERICANS

## Flag - Marked Train to Leave Hankow for Canton Tomorrow to Carry 300 Foreigners From Danger Zone.

By the Associated Press.

SHANGHAI, Dec. 22.—One of three Japanese columns approaching Hangchow, seaport south of Shanghai, has broken through Chinese lines at a point only 30 miles from the city, it was reported today.

A Japanese army spokesman said he hoped the Japanese would capture Hangchow before New Year's day and that Chinese would withdraw from the city to prevent possible destruction of its famous religious structures.

The only Japanese announcement on progress of hostilities said Japanese planes bombed a Chinese airdrome at Lanchow, in Yunnan, and destroyed 14 planes, said to be of Soviet manufacture.

Japanese bombers appeared today over the industrial seaport of Tsingtao, where three United States warships stood by to evacuate the 300 Americans there if necessary.

The planes, apparently making a reconnoitering flight, flew away in a short time.

**Buildings Set on Fire.**

Chinese set fire to dormitories connected with Japanese cotton mills and authorities repeated that they intended to resist Japanese to the utmost in case of an attack.

Reports that 30,000 Japanese soldiers had left Shanghai for an unknown destination and that 80 transports were ready for additional troops gave impetus to fears that Tsingtao, as well as other of China's coastal cities, would be attacked.

United States Consular authorities advised Americans to leave as fears increased that Japanese would attack Tsingtao in retaliation for destruction of Japanese cotton mills by Chinese troops. The United States cruiser Marblehead, the destroyer Pope and the gunboat Sacramento were in the harbor of the city, which is 390 miles north of Shanghai.

United States authorities at Shanghai and Tokio notified Japanese that a flag-decorated train carrying 300 foreign refugees, some of whom were Americans, would leave Hankow for Canton tomorrow. The train was due at Canton from the interior city on Christmas day.

**Reports of Soviet Aid.**

There were persistent Chinese press reports of impending aid for China from Soviet Russia. One report said 800,000 laborers were building a new highway through Chinese Turkestan to permit China to bring in military supplies from Russia despite severance of old caravan routes through Japanese occupation of North China.

In Hankow, one of the three Chinese temporary capitals, newspapers published outer Mongolian dispatches saying the Soviet-influenced Government there had decided to assist China because Japanese operations in inner Mongolia menaced Soviet interests.

The British cruiser Capetown, proceeding down the Yangtze from Hankow, reported it had on board one man, 21 women and 26 children refugees. It was thought here that all were British. The Capetown said one of the women was an expectant mother and asked permission to take her to Hongkong if necessary. There was no doctor on board.

**Business Virtually Stops in Tsingtao; Many Looters Executed.**

By the Associated Press.

TSINGTAO, China, Dec. 22.—Tension, growing out of the Chinese destruction of Japanese cotton mills, tightened here today, causing United States Consular authorities to advise the 300 Americans in the city to evacuate.

The tension had temporarily eased when the Japanese failed to take immediate retaliatory steps. The mills, the Japanese said, were worth $87,000,000.

It was reported the United States authorities acted on instructions from Washington. Many Ameri-

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# 41,045 DEATHS IN FOUR MONTHS AMONG WAR REFUGEES IN SHANGHAI

## MILLION SEEK SHELTER IN ALLEYS CELLARS, CAMPS

### Children Sleep on Shelves, 2500 Use Coffins as Beds—Mortality Rate 20 an Hour.

### 14,000 TERRORIZED, CROWD IN THEATER

### Japanese Military Regulations Will Not Permit Them to Return to Their Homes.

By the Associated Press.

SHANGHAI, Dec. 22. — Chinese benevolent burial associations reported today that 41,045 war refugees died in Shanghai in the last four months. The death rate was about 20 per hour.

By JAMES A MILLS,
Correspondent of the Associated Press.

SHANGHAI, Dec. 22. — Japan's guns have moved away from Shanghai and the tumult and terror of battle have died down, but a war is still being fought in refugee camps.

It is the war of a million persons for existence. There is neither glory nor glamour in their struggle. Only filth, disease, hunger and madness. They are more desperate in their quest of food than armed soldiers stalking a military objective.

When their homes were pulverized by Japanese artillery fire and aerial bombs rained from the sky, a million and a half of these humble toilers and their families crawled out of the smoking debris and fled into the central part of the city. Some 500,000 of these managed afterwards to drag themselves into the interior, on foot, by train, boat, wheelbarrow or ricksha.

But a million are still homeless in the dark alleys, dank cellars and packed refugee camps of Shanghai, which today is literally a "city of sighs and tears."

**14,000 in Theater.**

Fourteen thousand of these derelicts of humanity—men, women and children—terrorized by their war experiences, crept vermin-like into one downtown theater. Too dazed for thought or action, they still are there, because Japanese military regulations will not permit them to return to their homes.

Other thousands, half-naked, famished and half-crazed, massed in temple court yards, vacant lots, amusement arcades, stables and roofless, shattered buildings—any place that would shield them from the real or imagined dangers of war.

With wintry winds lashing their frail, famished frames, these victims of Japan's "informal" war in China huddle together like frightened sheep, each depending upon the warmth of another's body to keep from perishing.

The largest camp of refugees was formed among the garish, tinsel-like fixtures of an amusement arcade. There are 5000 of them jammed one against another there. Children sleep on shelves. Old women, too weak to stand, lie prostrate on stone floors. Whole families lie on counters. Infants are asleep in potato baskets. An old farmer has spread a fragment of matting in the open jaws of a stage dragon, propping his back against fiery fangs.

Old women scream over a cupful of mouldy rice. Consumptives cough away their lives. Lamentations for the dead, the dying and the lost are continuous, making the nights hideous. Shanghai might be called a "city of dreadful night."

**Clad in Summer Clothing.**

Some refugee housewives have a few basins and pans salvaged from ruins of their bombed homes. Some have a tattered blanket for this nightmare of winter existence. But most of these shivering, helpless humans have only the flimsy summer clothes they were wearing when they first fled from their homes.

The refugees sleep in shifts, for few families have enough space in which to lie down all at a time. A father stretches himself out for a time, while his family paces the crowded alleyways of the refugee camp. After an interval, the father relinquishes the coveted space to a weary grandmother or a group of children. To have even a foothold on this earth, and to be able to keep it, involves a constant struggle for these war victims.

Beds being non-existent, 2500 refugees sleep in coffins. The inmates consider themselves lucky. They have roofs over their heads and the coffins are dry. The haunting thought that they must end their dismal lives in one of these boxes does not seem to disturb them, for they are too despondent to think of the present or ponder on the future.

For more than 20 years I saw, as a correspondent of the Associated Press, massed migrations of refugees in a score of European countries, in Asia, in Africa and the Far East, with all their attendant suffering, misery and privations. But nowhere have I seen so much suffering and sorrow, so much woe and wretchedness, as in Shanghai.

**Every Form of Suffering.**

Babies are born in these refugee camps literally every minute and mothers die by the dozens every hour. The babies are baptized in cholera disinfectants; the mothers leave this world without even a shroud on them, for the shrouds are needed to clothe the living. Every form of human suffering may be seen in this vale of tears called Shanghai.

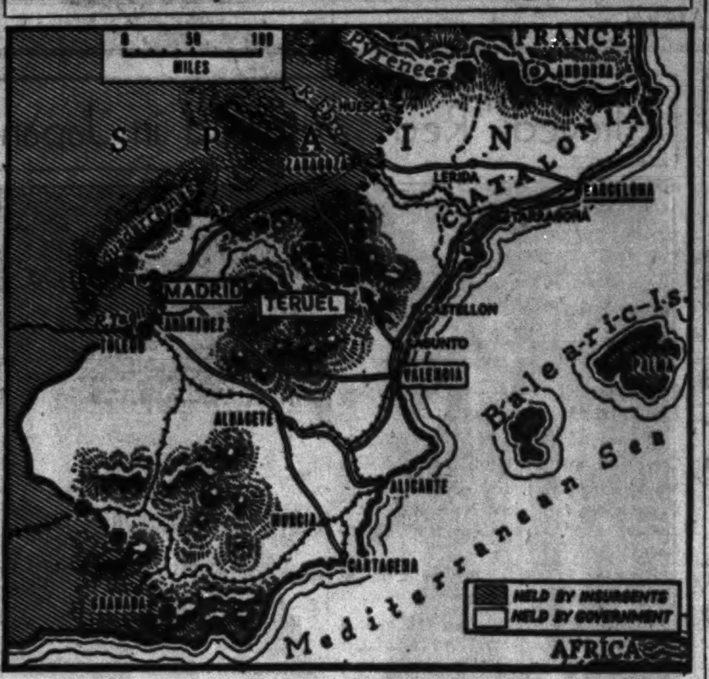
Looking down on the scene of tragedy and suffering in one of the largest refugee shelters in Shanghai is a priceless, white jade figure of the goddess of mercy, 10 feet high. But the improvised thousands below mumble that neither God nor mercy seem any longer to exist.

At night Shanghai with its hordes of war-stricken refugees seems at its worst. As I walked through the darkened streets and dingy alleys, I tripped over shadowy forms of these famished, distracted people, sleeping in rows, with only the stone pavement as a bed and a sheet or a piece of matting as cover.

Their gaunt, pitiful frames, sunken eyes and pale faces make them resemble corpses. They give Shanghai the appearance of a city of ghosts. The plaintive cries of sick babies, wails of mothers, the lamentations of old men, the gasps of the dying, break the silence.

Shanghai is a city of dreadful night.

Where Loyalists Took Strategic City



*MAP of east central Spain, where Government forces successfully attacked rebel-held Teruel. The insurgent positions had been a threat to Valencia.*

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his men to care for the wounded, who were carried to shore. Two Japanese commanders were discussing the situation when a third bomb dropped in the vicinity.

"A commander then ordered 10 soldiers to wave Japanese flags in order to make the airmen cease bombing. The latter failed to recognize the signal and continued to bomb the ship, which finally caught fire. There were casualties among the Japanese (two dead, three wounded, including a commander).

**Sinking of Panay.**

"It later was discovered another vessel which was sinking near the left bank of the river also was American. Another commander sent 10 men and an officer for rescue work.

"The officer and one man boarded her for a minute or two; failing to find anyone aboard, they left immediately. (It was later found this vessel was the Panay.)

"At the same time there was a small steamer (later found to be the Chinese ship Linta) with 14 or 15 Chinese soldiers aboard fleeing the neighborhood of the incident.

"Although the distance from the steamer was about 1800 meters, Japanese troops fired from the land and a motor launch pursued the Linta, firing machine guns. The Chinese steamer was captured.

"As above stated, the shooting was aimed at the Chinese vessel, the Linta, and the American ships were never objectives. It is supposed the allegation of the machine-gunning of the Panay was made on the part of those who mistook this and it is supposed there might have been stray bullets flying toward the Panay.

"Briefly, the Japanese military forces had no hostile intentions whatever toward American ships or nationals. It is impossible that a Japanese force should ever intentionally attack or trespass on any American ship knowing the vessel as such.

"Actually, the Japanese soldiers at the front are well-disposed toward foreigners, especially Americans, as may be seen by the manner in which the American wounded were treated in the present case."

The army, navy and embassy spokesmen said army general headquarters still was conducting an investigation, but that findings would be disclosed at the Japanese capital.

**Statements on Panay to Be Issued at Tokio Hereafter.**

By the Associated Press.

SHANGHAI, Dec. 22.—Japanese officials said today that henceforth statements on the Japanese attack Dec. 12 on the United States gunboat Panay and three Standard Oil vessels would be issued only at Tokio.

The army spokesman said that before the bombing of the Panay on the Yangtze River above Nanking, army authorities had notified the navy that Chinese vessels were fleeing upstream from Nanking and requested that navy planes strafe them.

American sources reported that Col. Kingoro Hashimoto had been replaced as commander of Japanese forces at Wuhu, but it was not known where he had been transferred. Americans have charged that a detachment of Japanese troops proceeding downstream from Wuhu machine-gunned the sinking gunboat.

The Japanese army spokesman said he had no information as to whether Hashimoto or any other officer had been recalled as a result of the Panay incident.

Sources on the United States flagship Augusta said the United States inquiry on the Panay bombing was nearly finished. It was understood the findings would be messaged to Washington.

Chinese survivors of the bombings, most of them suffering from exposure, arrived in Shanghai.

## LOYALISTS TAKE TEREUL; REBELS RETREAT 6 MILES

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attack while the rebel army has been correspondingly weakened."

Government officials had admitted the insurgents, if they broke through at Teruel, could reach the coast in two days.

Teruel was occupied and fortified by the insurgents soon after the civil war broke out. Government officials said its capture indicated that Government forces now were able to carry through sustained offensive warfare.

The Teruel attack apparently took the insurgents by surprise. There was evidence, Government sources said, the insurgents poured in heavy reinforcements to save the Teruel garrison, but the Government advance continued slowly.

**Previous Loyalist Successes.**

Success of the Government's offensive against Teruel recalled the drive westward from Madrid in which Belchite and other towns were taken. By July 6 the Government had advanced 15 miles west of Madrid. Subsequently, however, the insurgents in counter-attacks regained most of the territory they had lost.

The only other notable Government victory in the war was the disastrous rout of an insurgent army, composed largely of Italians, on the Guadalajara front in March. This army seemed on the verge of capturing Madrid when a combination of weather, planes and stiffened Government resistance completely altered the situation.

The insurgent army, with much motorized equipment, was stopped by mud after a rapid advance into Government territory near Brihuega. Government planes bombed and strafed the column and insurgent troops fled.

The Government, throughout a large part of the war, has fought defensively.

## TELEGRAPH COMPANIES ASK FOR 15 PCT. RATE INCREASE

### Four Major Lines Say It Is Necessitated by Higher Operating Costs, Reduced Business.

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22.—The major telegraph companies asked the Communications Commission today for authority to increase their rates 15 per cent.

Postal Telegraph-Cable Co., Mackay Radio & Telegraph Co. (California), Mackay Radio & Telegraph Co. (Delaware), and the Western Union Telegraph Co. joined in the petition.

If granted, the increase would be the first in 30 years, except for the World War period, the statement said. The increase would apply generally to the various classes of commercial messages, but not to press dispatches.

With the falling off of business in recent months, and increased costs of operation because of "heavy Social Security and other taxes, wage restorations and mounting expenses of all kinds," the increase is necessary to maintain the "efficient service upon which the public depends," a statement by the Western Union and Postal companies said.

## GREAT BRITAIN SENDS PROTEST NO. 16 TO JAPAN

### Objects to the Seizure of Chinese Customs Vessel in Territorial Waters Around Hongkong.

### MORE TROOPS TO BE MOVED TO COLONY

### Ship Under Instructions to Pick Up Men at Bombay —Cabinet Takes Up Situation.

By the Associated Press.

LONDON, Dec. 22.—The War Office announced today that the British garrison at Hongkong would be strengthened as the Government dispatched the sixteenth protest it has made to Japan since the outbreak of the Far Eastern conflict.

The action followed a two and a half hour review of the situation by the Cabinet this morning, and yesterday's assertion from Prime Minister Neville Chamberlain in the House of Commons that Japan should not be deceived by British patience.

The Cabinet was understood to have decided what steps should be taken in event of further incidents in China. Meanwhile, it was said, the Government's attitude is to await proof of Japan's "determination and ability" to prevent such incidents and at the same time to keep in close contact with Washington.

**Watching Carefully.**

After the Cabinet meeting, Foreign Secretary Anthony Eden told the House of Commons that the possible spread of hostilities in Kwangtung Province in South China was "being carefully watched." He gave assurance that "all possible protection is being and will be afforded to our trade interests in South China."

First Lord of the Admiralty Alfred Duff Cooper indicated, in response to a question, that the British navy was ready for whatever contingency might arise.

The troopship Dunera prepared to leave Southampton to take aboard the second battalion of Royal Scots at Bombay. The troops will go to Hongkong, lying off Canton, which reports have indicated the Japanese will attack shortly with a major offensive. The Scots were scheduled to reach their new post Jan. 28.

The Scots, it was announced, will relieve Royal Welch Fusiliers, normally at the Hongkong garrison but presently on duty at Shanghai.

**Details of Attack.**

Earlier Sir Robert Leslie Craigie, British Ambassador to Tokio, was instructed to protest against a Japanese seizure of a Chinese customs vessel in territorial waters off the British colony on Dec. 11.

He was told also to ask for assurances that Japanese henceforth would respect Hongkong and its territorial waters.

The incident complained of is the firing by a Japanese vessel, outside the territorial waters, on the Chinese boat which was beached. Then Japanese sailors entered the waters by motor boats and towed the Chinese vessel away.

**Eden's Remarks Yesterday.**

Eden, concluding the foreign affairs debate in the House of Commons yesterday, stressed close collaboration between Great Britain and the United States in the Far East. Eden sought to dispel a strong current of apprehension expressed by many speakers that Americans distrust British motives in seeking closer ties.

Arthur Henderson, Laborite, said, "of course, we know this is ridiculous nonsense," but he added it was true large sections of American opinion were extremely suspicious of British intentions.

Eden repeated that Britain would not make a colonial deal with Germany at the expense of other nations.

He said that "most important of all are relations of the British commonwealth with the United States.

"There is not and cannot be any question of a treaty or any question of entanglements. But there is a true community of outlook and it is that which can prove an invaluable asset in the maintenance of peace."

He said the "overwhelming force" needed to back sanctions against Japan does not exist within the League of Nations.

**Three-Point Policy.**

He also made a three-point statement of British policy in the Far East:

"1. We must do all we honorably can to secure restoration of peace.

"2. We must do our full share with others in the fulfillment of our international obligations.

"3. We must protct our own interests and, of course, British territory."

President Roosevelt's telegram to former Gov. Alf M. Landon of Kansas saying the United States owed "some measure of co-operation and even leadership" in world affairs took precedence in the British press today over Chamberlain's address made yesterday.

## CHINESE LINES BROKEN 30 MILES FROM HANGCHOW

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cans already were leaving the city.

There was no noticeable movement yet among other foreigners, including about 300 British, a larger number of Russians and 100 Germans. Wholesale evacuation of Chinese was taking place, however, with thousands streaming from the city in all directions, carrying their meager belongings.

The renewed apprehension over the expected attack caused a virtual stoppage of business. Stores were closed and barred. Foodstuffs were difficult to obtain.

Spasmodic looting broke out, causing authorities to clamp on a 6 o'clock daily curfew. Chinese officials executed many looters and left their bodies in the streets as a warning.

Japanese planes constantly were flying over the city, many so low that their bomb racks were visible. A boom in the harbor appeared capable of holding off possible raids from the sea.

Tsingtao is in Shantung Province, 390 miles north of Shanghai on the coast. Its manufacturing area lies along the Kia-tsi Railway. The principal Japanese holdings were the Toyoda cotton spinning mills and several match factories. These cotton mills, the biggest Japan had in North China, were the ones destroyed. They constituted practically all of the cotton spinning industry in Tsingtao. A recent survey showed six mills there with 500,000 spindles, averaging 192,500 bales of yarn and 2,922,000 pieces of cotton tissue annually and employing 24,000 Chinese.

## COL. DE LA ROCQUE AND 5 AIDS IN FRENCH SOCIAL PARTY FINED

### Court Asseses Leader $100 on Finding Organiztaion Is Revival of Croix de Feu.

By the Associated Press.

PARIS, Dec. 22.—Col. Francois de la Rocque was fined 3000 francs ($100) today by the Police Court, which held his French Social party to be a militaristic recreation of the Croix de Feu, which was dissolved when the Government outlawed military political organizations.

Five others of the party's Executive Committee were fined 1000 francs. De la Rocque said he would appeal.

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## Brilliant Funeral for Ludendorff; Hitler, Four Generals Take Part

### Military, Political and Economic Leaders Pay Tribute to World War Commander at Munich.

By the Associated Press.

MUNICH, Dec. 22.—Chancellor Adolf Hitler laid a wreath today at the brilliant military funeral for Gen. Erich Ludendorff, one of the outstanding Generals of the World War.

No one of military, political or economic rank in Nazi Germany was missing at the ceremonies before Field Marshals' Hall for the General who had been Field Marshal Paul von Hindenberg's Chief of Staff in the war.

The rites were the most impressive since the burial in 1934 of Von Hindenburg, who had become Germany's President. Ludendorff died Monday at the age of 72.

Hitler walked directly behind the coffin in the procession from victory arch to the hall where state obsequies were held. Four Generals flanked the gun carriage bearing the General's body.

Hundreds of spiked helmets and a display of imperial colors as well as Nazi swastikas testified to the presence of Ludendorff's old comrades in arms.

When the ceremonies were ended, the funeral cortege started to near-by Tutzing, where the General was buried in a temporary grave until a family vault can be completed.

War Minister Marshal Werner von Blomberg, an officer in the old imperial army, later a General in the republican Reichswehr and now Field Marshal of remilitarized Nazi Germany, delivered the nation's eulogy.

As Von Blomberg's oration ended, Hitler advanced to the casket, saluted, and exclaimed: "In the name of the united German people and in deep gratitude I deposit this wreath before you."

The band played and guns boomed a salute as Nazi notables deposited wreaths.

"All Germany mourns the loss of this genial soldier and really great German," Von Blomberg said of the General whose recent reconciliation with Hitler after years of misunderstanding was thought to have altered a previously expressed wish for an unceremonious funeral.

"The life of a hero devoted entirely to Germany is completed. His life was one of labor such as few have accomplished. Tragedy was not spared him. Germany has lost a man of tremendous will power, a passionate fighter for the grandeur of the German nation."

Thousands had filed past Ludendorff's bier at the Victory Arch in the morning. As the funeral cortege proceeded, with nothing audible but the tramp of marching soldiers, spectators lining both sides of the streets raised their hands in Nazi salutes.

## ROOSEVELT WARNS HOUSE CHAIRMAN T OCUT ROAD FUND

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three hundred million dolars a year on Federal aid highways, the Congress can, in its wisdom, reduce other appropriations to make up the difference.

The above facts may be unpalatable, but, as you know, they are perfectly true. More than 3000 counties in the United States are glad to get every possible expenditure of Federal funds within their counties, but I know you will agree with me that if we legislated with that as the principle objective in mind, there would not be any Democratic party and there would not be any solvent government after a few years.

Always sincerely,
FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT.

Cartwright had written the President Thursday that not a single member of his committee had requested a meeting for immediate consideration of the proposal to cancel the authorizations. He mentioned what he termed a vital need and insistent demand for road improvements in Oklahoma.

"So naturally," Cartwright told the chief executive, "I do not personally favor a proposal to cancel all authorizations for roads for the next fiscal year, and to single out roads for drastic and arbitrary reduction in several subsequent years, especially when no assurance has been given that corresponding reductions in other activities will be recommended . . ."

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Thomas F. Muldoon of company counsel and John L. Sullivan, an attorney for the union, told a Post-Dispatch reporter they were "interested" in Dudleys' suggestion. Daniel Bartlett, a company lawyer, said "a definite proposal must come from the union."

Reports from company and union sources on the number of old employes now working at the assembly plant have differed. Milton N. Johnson, plant manager, stated there were no new employes among the more than 600 men working. Delmond Garst, international union representative, charged that between 400 and 500 union men were not called back after the seasonal layoff and that their places were taken by non-union workers.

C I O union members are picketing the plant daily, and workers enter and leave under police protection.

**Concealed Weapon Warrant Against Two Ford Employes.**

Jesse Beckett and Clarence Blessing, Ford assembly plant employes, were charged with carrying a concealed weapon in a warrant issued today by the Circuit Attorney's office.

The men, stepbrothers, who live at 3706 Page boulevard, were arrested yesterday in their automobile when they were driving to work. Detectives reported they found an automatic pistol in the glove compartment and a baseball bat on the floor.

Asserting they had been threatened and Blessing had been beaten because they continued to work at the plant while union picketing was in progress, Beckett and Blessing declared the weapons were for self-protection.

## WABASH BRIDGE, ST. CHARLES, VALUED FOR TAX PURPOSES

### $1,000,000 Figure Is on Incomplete Span; Future Figure to Be Higher.

A valuation of $1,000,000, for purposes of this year's taxation, was placed on the new Wabash bridge over the Missouri River at St. Charles by two members of the State Tax Commission, who appeared today before the County Court of St. Louis County and posted one-half the valuation, $500,000, on the County Assessor's books. The other half is taxable in St. Charles County.

The valuation, as on other property assessed for taxation this year, is that of June 1, 1936. At that time the bridge was incomplete. The valuation for June 1, 1937, on the completed bridge, basis for next year's taxes, will be larger. The bridge cost $3,283,000 and was opened Oct. 13, 1936.

One school district, the Bonfils district, with a tax rate of 85 cents on $100 valuation, will reveive all the school taxes for the St. Louis County part of this year's bridge tax, or $4250. In the ufture, when the completed bridge is taxed, the school tax paid on it will be divided among all the county districts. Bonfils district, in which the St. Louis County end of the bridge is situated, has a rural grade school.

St. Louis County's portion of the taxes on the bridge structure will be $5100 and the State will receive $750 on the St. Louis County portion this year.

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## W P A RELIEF IN CITY WILL BE STARTED SOON

### Aldermen Vote $200,000 and Federal Share Will Be $1,437,700.

Work relief for 4498 more persons, who will be paid $1,437,706 by the W P A, will be started within a few days.

The Board of Aldermen today made this possible by passage, by unanimous vote, of an appropriation of $200,000 from general municipal funds to pay the city's share of the cost of the work program. The city will provide materials and the W P A will meet the wages of the workers for from three to six months.

Mayor Dickmann has said that some unemployed persons might be put to work under the program by Friday. Undertakings approved include jobs for 3533 persons for six months, 1102 for four months and 863 for three months.

An offer of the W P A funds was made to the city after the Board of Aldermen had adjourned for a Christmas vacation. The Mayor called a special session of the board, which was terminated with todays action. The appropriation bill was introduced Monday, approved by the Ways and Means Committee yesterday and completed today by suspension of the rules to waive a fourth reading.

As soon as clerical work is completed, the bill will be presented to the Mayor for his signature. It carries an emergency clause, and so will be effective when he approves it.

A wide variety of work is included in the 11 items of the W P A program.

At present there are about 15,400 W P A workers in the city and county, with a monthly payroll of about $900,000.

**Real Estate Exchange to Urge Paying of Relief Rent.**

A delegation from the Workers' Alliance, organization of the unemployed, which called yesterday at the Real Estate Exchange, was assured by Clarence C. Lang, secretary of the exchange, that it would support efforts being made to obtain payment of rent for those on the relief rolls.

Lang said the exchange would make a formal request to the State Social Security Commission that rent be paid and would ask city officials to join in the request.

No rent has been paid for those on the relief rolls since the city's relief fund was exhausted in September. The Social Security Commission has undertaken to provide the food and fuel requirements of those receiving relief.

## MRS. ALBERT GASEN DIVORCES DRUG STORE CHAIN HEAD

### Property Settlement Made Out of Court; Husband Does Not Contest Case.

A divorce was granted today to Mrs. Dorothy Gasen from Albert Gasen, president of a chain of drug stores. A property settlement was reached out of court and the question of alimony did not arise in the suit.

In the hearing, Mrs. Gasen testified they separated in 1932, after eight years of married life, when he told her he wanted to be free and asked "how much it would cost to be that way." She alleged general indignities, charging her husband absented himself from home with explanation.

In a cross bill, which, however, was not prosecuted, Gasen charged that Mrs. Gasen, who lives at 4440 Lindell boulevard, was extravagant and brought her relatives to live with them.

**Bond Issue Proposed for Relief.**

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Dec. 22.—A recommendation of a 42-member steering committee to petition the County Court to call an election to vote bonds of $285,000 to provide direct relief in Buchanan County for 18 months, beginning Jan. 1, was accepted here last night by citizens at a mass meeting.

## MINE BOMB DEFENSE MAKES RETRIAL PLEAS

### 36 Convicted at Springfield, Cite 87 Reasons for New Hearing.

By the Associated Press.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Dec. 22.—Defense counsel for 36 men convicted Saturday on Federal charges of conspiring to interfere with interstate commerce and the mails throught widespread bombings in the Illinois coal fields cited to United States District Judge Charles G. Briggle today 87 reasons why na new trial should be granted. Sentencing of the men has been held up pending action on the new trial motion.

Reviewing much of the testimony in the five-week trial, the attorneys charged that the jury did not consider facts concerning each defendant individually and renewed contentions that some of the men were "framed."

Defense Attorney Jesse R. Brown of Edwardsville contended the jury was biased to the extent that membership in the Profressive Miners' union "seemed ta be an obvious indication of guilt."

All but two of the convicted men now are or were connected with the Progressives.

One of the errors assigned in the motion was that the court should not have ruled out evidence tending to prove a counter-conspiracy existed and was responsible for some of the dynamitings charged to the defendants.

## MRS. G. S. FORCIER AWARDED $25,000 ON LIFE INSURANCE

### U. S. District Court Orders Penn Mutual Company t oPay That Amount.

The Penn Mutual Life Insurance Co. was ordered today by United States District Judge John C. Collet to pay $25,000 to Mrs. Henrietta T. Forcier on her claim for additional insurance under a policy on the life of her husband, Guy S. Forcier, coal and fuel oil broker, who died April 5, 1936.

Mrs. Forcier, who resides at 6350 Pershing avenue, claimed the sum as the balance owed her on a $40,000 policy which her husband reduced to $15,000 March 20, 1936, 16 days before his death. She contended the larger amount was due because of a provision in the policy extending the coverage for a 31-day period of grace after the day on which the premium was due, or until April 19. The premium date, she asserted, was March 18.

The company took the position that Feb. 20 was the premium anniversary because the policy was issued on that day in 1929. Under this contention, the grace period would have expired March 22, before Forcier's death. The Court found that Forcier had paid his first premium March 18, 1929, and that day became the legally effective date of the policy.

**French Air Chief Injured.**

VERSAILLES, France, Dec. 22.—Gen. Henri Aube, chief of staff of the French air force, was injured seriously last night in an automobile accident.

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## MAN AND WOMAN OVERCOME BY FUMES

### Refrigerator Agent in Serious Condition; Stenographer Revived—Gas Heater Burning.

Martin Block, refrigerator dealer, and his stenographer, Miss Lola Groves, were found overcome by carbon monoxide fumes in a bedroom in the rear of the Block Sales and Service Co., 1518 Sulphur avenue, at 4:30 p. m. yesterday.

After police failed to revive them with an inhalator, they were taken to City Hospital. Block was still unconscious this morning, and his condition was pronounced critical. Miss Groves recovered consciousness this morning, but was still dazed and told a Post-Dispatch reporter that she could remember nothing. Her condition is serious.

Block, who is 40 years old and unmarried, resides with his mother at 3429 Hartford street. The home of Miss Groves, who is 30, is at 3612 McRee avenue.

Police were called to the refrigerator agency by Edward Zeller, an electrician, 3973 Meramec street, who said he had found both front and rear doors locked and thought he heard groans coming from a side window. Breaking open the window, that of the bedroom, the police found Block and Miss Groves on the bed. He was clad in bathrobe and pajamas, she in a slip. Apparently they were overcome by fumes from a portable gas heater, which was still burning. The heater had no flue, and the doors and window were shut.

A repair man employed by Block said he left Block and Miss Groves working on the books in the office at 10 p. m. Monday. He returned at 10 a. m. and 1 p. m. yesterday, found the place locked, and could get no answer to his knocking.

While speeding to the scene, a police car bearing an inhalator crew struck an automobile at Eichelberger street and January avenue and overturned. The driver, Patrolman Fred Speckman, 7016A Michigan avenue, and Patrolman Joseph Ferris, 3666A Bates street, suffered cuts and bruises.

## AMERICAN WOMAN STOWAWAY FOUND ABOARD GERMAN LINER

### Captain Refused Permission to Put Her Ashore for Transfer to Home-Bound Ship.

By the Associated Press.

CHERBOURG, France, Dec. 22.—A well-dressed but penniless American woman stowaway who refused to disclose her identity was held aboard the German liner Hansa today after port authorities refused to permit her to go ashore.

When she was taken before the Hansa's captain the day after the liner sailed from New York, she said she was "Katherine Schwartz," but that the name "might not" be her own. She is 25 years old.

The captain wanted to transfer her to the New York-bound liner Hamburg here, but when permission was refused to put her ashore, she continued with the Hansa to Hamburg, Germany.

An American who described herself as "Elizabeth Schwartz of Chicago" pleaded unavailingly with a British court in Glasgow, Scotland, last August not to return her to the United States. "Send me to jail, but don't send me back to America—I hate America," she told the Court.

Twice a stowaway, the woman was found aboard the United States liner California and was said to have hidden also on the British liner Queen Mary. She was sent back to the United States.

## DEATH OF TED HEALY DUE TO NATURAL CAUSE

### Police Drop Inquiry Into Fight Involving Comedian After Autopsy.

By the Associated Press.

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 22.—Police said they would drop further investigation of a fist fight involving Ted Healy, stage and movie comedian, after an autopsy today indicated that Healy died of natural causes.

Death was originally ascribed to a heart attack, but Dr. Wyantt Lamont asked for an autopsy.

Dr. A. F. Wagner, Los Angeles County autopsy surgeon, said Healy's injuries were superficial but that he had suffered from lung congestion and a serious kidney condition.

Coroner Frank Nance said no inquest would be held.

A deep cut over the left eye, a discolored right eye and a bruise on the temple suffered Sunday night gave rise after Healy's death yesterday to stories of an altercation near the Trocadero, Hollywood night club.

Attendants at the night club told police they believed he had fought with an unidentified man in a nearby parking lot.

**Celebrated Birth of Son.**

Detectives reported they learned from friends of Healy that he went to the night club to celebrate the birth last Friday night of a son. His wife, still in University Hospital, Culver City, was informed late last night of his death. Healy, 41 years old, had called the birth of a son the greatest excitement in his life.

His friends said they took him home after the celebration, and that he gave a somewhat incoherent story of engaging in an argument and a fight. Healy told them he went to a Hollywood hotel after the fight and was treated for his injuries. He then drove to a Beverly Hills hotel. Friends took him home.

The Coroner said an examination of the body showed a red, subcutaneous streak across Healy's left temple, possibly caused by a blow, and a deep gash above the left eye, which had been closed by two surgical clips. The left eyelid showed red bruises.

**Married Second Time.**

Healy's wife is the former Betty Hickman, member of a socially prominent Pasadena family.

He and Miss Hickman, his second wife, eloped to Yuma, Ariz., last year. They later separated, but were reconciled before an interlocutory divorce decree, which stands for a year in California, became final. His first wife was Betty Braun, a dancer. They were divorced in 1932.

Healy's latest film was previewed Monday night. He was credited with originating the "stooge" comedy, a routine in which he and several teammates traded blows on the head and then sank to the floor.

Healy was educated for the law, but turned to the stage, becoming a comedian in the burlesque show "Cuddle Up," in 1917. For 15 years he was in vaudeville.

**17 New Lawyers to Be Enrolled.**

The St. Louis Bar Association, with the co-operation of Judges of Circuit Court, will hold a special ceremony Jan. 7, at 2 p. m., in the Civil Courts Building when St. Louisans recently admitted to the practice of law will be formally enrolled. Seventeen from the city passed the State examination in October at Jefferson City.

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*TED HEALY*

## CHILD EXPERT APOLOGIZES TO BOY IN COURTROOM

### Professor Admits Taking Lad by Shoulders When He Threw Ice Past His Auto.

By the Associated Press.

CHICAGO, Dec. 22.—Prof. John J. B. Morgan, an authority on child psychology at Northwestern University, Mrs. Faith Sherrie and her 10-year-old son, Donald, appeared in Municipal Court yesterday.

The lad had hurled pieces of ice into a street and one whizzed past the professor's car. He stopped and got out, Mrs. Sherrie testified:

"He grabbed Donald by the nape of the neck, shook him and said, 'Look out or you'll be run over.' Then he kicked Donald." Mr. Morgan testified:

"The boy was standing in the street. If I had skidded I would have hit him. I went back, grabbed him by both shoulders and warned him about the danger of being run over." The professor apologized. The Judge dismissed a charge of assault and battery.

## SEWER BOND ISSUE WINS

### County District Authorizes $127,000 to Supplement W P A Grant.

A $127,000 bond issue for construction of sanitary and storm sewers in the Maria Creek Sewer District was authorized yesterday by a vote of 503 to 56. Clarence A. Peterson, attorney for the district, said approval of the issue opened the way for Federal action on an application by the district for a $200,000 W P A grant. The district is bounded by Natural Bridge road, St. Louis avenue, Lucas and Hunt road, and the St. Louis city limits.

Three trustees were elected. Stuart A. MacReady will serve six years; Edwin Kohler, four, and George H. Sibille, two years.

## BELLEFONTAINE LINE BUS SERVICE PLANNED

### P. S. C. Asks for Permission to Abandon 5 1-2 Miles of Trolley Tracks.

Authority to abandon five and one-half miles of the 15-mile Bellefontaine car line in South St. Louis and substitute service on a new bus line was requested by Henry W. Kiel, trustee of the Public Service Co., in an application filed with Federal Judge Charles B. Davis yesterday.

Repair of the tracks, which are carried on the books as representing an investment of $260,000, would cost $121,500, the petition says. The entire trackage would be abandoned, from Chouteau avenue and Grattan street to California avenue and Cherokee street, except four blocks in Lafayette avenue, between Grattan and Mississippi avenue, used by another line.

Double tracks would be given up as follows: Grattan, between Chouteau and Lafayette; Geyer avenue, between Mississippi and California, and California, between Geyer and Cherokee. Single track to be discarded would be: Eighteenth street and Mississippi, each between Lafayette and Geyer, and Geyer between Eighteenth and Mississippi.

The proposed new bus line would operate from Third street and Washington avenue to Cherokee and California, by way of Washington, Fourteenth street, Chouteau, Dolman street, Lafayette and California. The southern loop would be by way of Cherokee, Nebraska avenue and Utah street.

In his application to the Court, Trustee Kiel asked permission to spend $137,500 of accumulated funds for 15 busses for the new line.

General Manager S. W. Greenland said to a Post-Dispatch reporter that the Bellefontaine cars would be rerouted, subject to approval of the State Public Service Commission, over the Cherokee line from the downtown district to Cherokee and California. The route southbound would be Eighth, Walnut, Ninth, Clark, Twelfth, Sidney, Lemp and Cherokee, and northbound, Cherokee, Lemp, Crittenden, Eighteenth, Gravois, Russell, Twelfth, Clark and Ninth.

**Mrs. W. J. Williamson Funeral.**

Funeral services for Mrs. Jessie W. Williamson, widow of the Rev. William J. Williamson, who was pastor of Third Baptist Church about 25 years ago, were held today at the Lupton Mortuary. Burial was in Valhalla Cemetery. Mrs. Williamson, 65 years old, died Monday at Larned, Kan. Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Ralph Luffer of Larned and Mrs. Maurice Barnett of Washington, D. C.

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# WIFE WITNESS AGAINST MAN IN 1925 MURDER

## She Caused His Arrest—Test of Illinois Law Letting Woman Testify Against Mate.

By the Associated Press.

CHICAGO, Dec. 22. — Succors D'Andrea, Milwaukee W P A worker was booked at the Detective Bureau last night on a charge of murder ing a man here 13 years ago.

He will be arraigned in Felony Court today, charged with shooting to death Vincenzo Alleruzzo, his brother-in-law, in a family quarrel

First Assistant State's Attorney Wilbert F. Crowley announced the case would be used as a test of the Illinois statute passed early this year which permits a wife to testify against her husband in criminal proceedings.

Leslie Curtis, another Assistant Prosecutor, explained D'Andrea's wife, Maria, caused his arrest in Milwaukee last week and gave police the weapon she claimed was used. Mrs. D'Andrea is estranged from her husband.

At the time of his arrest, Milwaukee authorities reported she had told them she had kept the secret for years for the sake of their five children, but that lately

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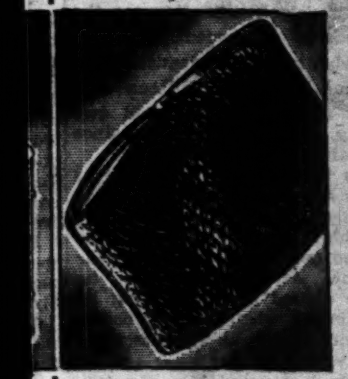
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# WIFE WITNESS AGAINST MAN IN 1925 MURDER

## She Caused His Arrest—Test of Illinois Law Letting Woman Testify Against Mate.

By the Associated Press.

CHICAGO, Dec. 22. — Succorso D'Andrea, Milwaukee W P A worker, was booked at the Detective Bureau last night on a charge of murdering a man here 13 years ago.

He will be arraigned in Felony Court today, charged with shooting to death Vincenzo Alleruzzo, his brother-in-law, in a family quarrel.

First Assistant State's Attorney Wilbert F. Crowley announced the case would be used as a test of the Illinois statute passed early this year which permits a wife to testify against her husband in criminal proceedings.

Leslie Curtis, another Assistant Prosecutor, explained D'Andrea's wife, Maria, caused his arrest in Milwaukee last week and gave police the weapon she claimed was used. Mrs. D'Andrea is estranged from her husband.

At the time of his arrest, Milwaukee authorities reported she had told them she had kept the secret for years for the sake of their five children, but that lately D'Andrea had begun to threaten them and that she feared for her life. Milwaukee police said D'Andrea confessed the shooting.

In relying on Mrs. D'Andrea as a State witness, Curtis said he believed it would be the first time in Illinois that a wife was called to give evidence against her husband in a murder trial.

He expressed the opinion that the new law might be interpreted to mean that Mrs. D'Andrea could testify only as to admissions her husband might have made to her about the crime before they separated. She said she witnessed the shooting, but Curtis said he doubted whether the law was broad enough to permit her to describe these events as a prosecution witness.

Crowley said he thought Mrs. D'Andrea would be permitted to testify to the physical facts of the shooting scene.

# ENDS HIS LIFE IN HOTEL ROOM

## Despondent, Brother Says, Because He Could Not Work.

The body of Arthur Husmann, a shoeworker, 4157 Rosalie avenue, was found at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon in a room which he engaged Monday at the Lorraine Hotel, 408 North Euclid avenue. A bottle containing disinfectant was in the room. He was 49 years old and single.

His brother, E. J. Husmann, 5206 Neosho street, identified the body at the Morgue. He said Arthur Husmann had been despondent because he suffered a fracture of the ankle several weeks ago, and was unable to work.

# 7 ON COUNCIL INDICTED IN BUFFALO GRAFT CASE

## Six Others, Including Assistant Paymaster, Named — Jury Urges Special Prosecutor.

By the Associated Press.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Dec. 22.—Thirteen persons, including seven of the city's 15 common councilmen, had been indicted on felony charges when the November Erie County grand jury closed a seven weeks' inquiry into city affairs yesterday.

Twelve of the defendants have entered pleas of not guilty. The last is expected to appear today.

The grand jury returned its second and final report with a plea for a special prosecutor and an extraordinary grand jury to carry on what it termed "this gigantic task."

**Request Sent to Governor.**

Supreme Court Justice James E. Norton, who received the grand jury's report, said that he had ordered the request for a special prosecutor forwarded to Gov. Lehman.

Shortly after the jury had returned sealed indictments yesterday four city councilmen appeared at police headquarters and were taken into custody. Three other city councilmen had been indicted by the same grand jury early this month.

Three of the councilmen were arraigned immediately, pleaded not guilty and were released on bail. They were Councilman John J. Doyle, Democrat, indicted on two counts of obtaining proceeds from a fraudulent voucher for $84.40; Councilman John J. Kennedy, Republican, indicted on a similar charge, and Councilman George J. Young, Republican, also indicted on a similar charge.

A fourth councilman indicted was allowed time to raise the necessary bail.

**Assistant Paymaster Named.**

Also arraigned on 11 counts of forgery, third degree, and 10 counts of falsification of records was Assistant City Paymaster Henry J. Roesch.

Among others indicted are former Erie County Supervisor Stanley J. Pogrzoleski, Democrat, and Charles W. Salman, former city-paid W P A supervisor. Pogrzoleski was arraigned on charges of perjury before the grand jury. Salman's indictment charged him with first degree perjury and on two counts of obtaining money for a false and fraudulent claim. Both pleaded not guilty and were released on bail.

Three sealed indictments remained unserved.

A parallel inquiry has been carried on in public hearings by a councilmanic investigating committee since the city election, Nov. 2. Two of the city councilmen indicted by the grand jury were members of the council's investigation body.

Frank J. Raichle Jr., who initiated the councilmanic inquiry, was mentioned as a possible special prosecutor.

**More Insurance for Ships.**

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22. — The Maritime Commission announced today the American Marine Insurance Syndicate would increase from $2,500,000 to $4,000,000 the maximum amount of insurance the syndicate would write on a single vessel.

# WITHDRAWS SUIT OVER RING

## C. O. Gerhard Drops Action Against Clayton Widow.

Clarence O. Gerhard, 1824 Longfellow boulevard, secretary of the Specialty Hardware Co., yesterday withdrew his suit at Clayton to recover a $600 diamond ring from Mrs. Helen A. Scheu, 47 Arundel place, Clayton.

Gerhard refused to comment on his action. In his petition he alleged he lent the ring to Mrs. Scheu, a widow, and she kept it.

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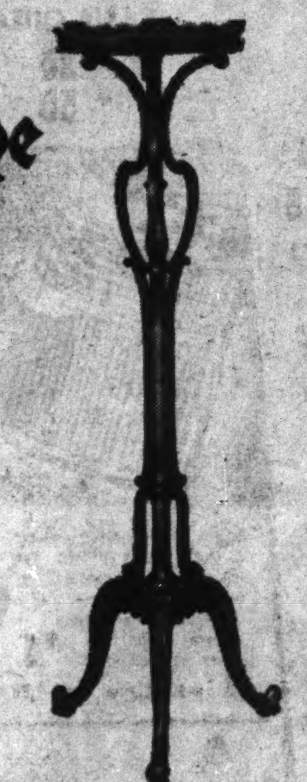

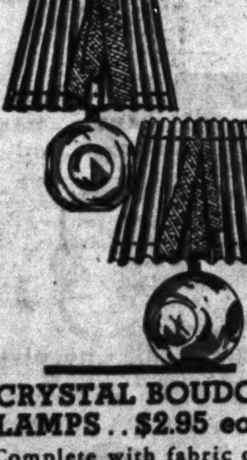
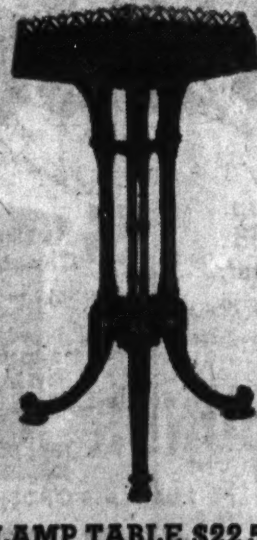

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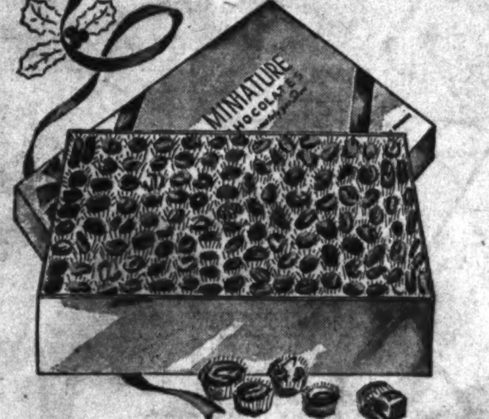

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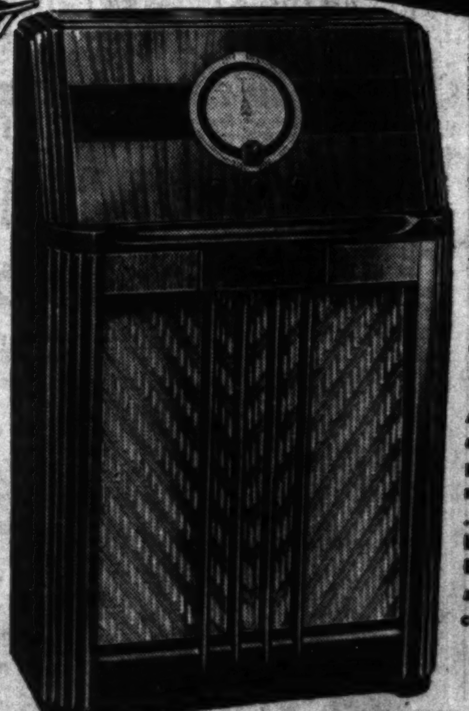

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# PENNSYLVANIA R.R. WAGE COST DOWN 44 PCT. IN DECADE

### Due to Labor Saving Devices More Traffic Per Man Handled Than Ever Before, Official Says.

### INDIVIDUAL PAY UP SUBSTANTIALLY

### A. J. County Testifies at Inquiry — Kuhn, Loeb Partner and Wheeler Get Into Exchange.

By RICHARD L. STOKES,
A Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22.—Owing to the introduction of labor-saving devices, the Pennsylvania Railroad Co., in the decade between 1926 and 1936, decreased its total wage disbursement by 44 per cent, substantially increased the individual worker's pay, and is at present handling more traffic per man than ever before in its history or that of any other railway.

Such was the testimony proudly given before the Senate Interstate Commerce Committee today by A. J. County, financial vice-president of the Pennsylvania. These economies, the witness pronounced, are a settled policy of the system, which has spent millions of dollars for heavier rails, more capacious freight cars, automatic signals and other job-killing innovations.

Other witnesses who joined County today were Benjamin J. Buttenweiser, a partner of Kuhn, Loeb & Co.; Percy M. Steward, a member of the same firm, and Leonard D. Adkins, a member of its legal counsel, Cravath, de Gersdorff, Swaine & Wood. Buttenweiser confirmed exhibits showing that Kuhn, Loeb & Co. succeeded Drexel & Co. of Philadelphia in 1887 as banker for the Pennsylvania, and between that year and 1926 floated security issues for the railroad in a total sum of $1,322,960,388. Drexel & Co., it was brought out, refused a loan to the Pennsylvania, whereupon the late Jacob H. Schiff volunteered to supply the money, thus beginning a connection of 40 years.

Senator Wheeler, chairman of the committee, recalled a definition given currency by the late Otto H. Kahn, senior partner of Kuhn, Loeb & Co., to the effect that the relations between banker and client are similar to those between doctor and patient. This reminiscence gave rise to frequent sallies between Wheeler and Buttenweiser, who says that his early ambition was to become a professor of poetry, and who boasts a ready wit and a fluent vocabulary.

"Among your patients," inquired Wheeler, "were the Baltimore & Ohio, the Wabash, the Illinois Central, the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul, the Chicago & Northwestern, the Union Pacific and the Missouri Pacific?" The answer was yes.

**Good Many Still Sick.**

"How many of them are still sick?" "Unfortunately, a good many. They have been out in very blustery weather. Their illness was partly superinduced by various governmental bodies."

"What about the St. Paul?" "It was quite sick in 1925. We thought we had it cured in 1928. Unhappily, it was exposed to rigorous weather at the beginning of the depression, and suffered a relapse." Buttenweiser added that in his opinion it would be unjust to blame either the physician or the patient's own physique.

Wheeler inquired whether a contributing cause was not bad judgment on the part of the St. Paul management and its bankers in building an extension of the system to the Pacific Coast. Buttenweiser retorted that a barge line set up on the Mississippi River by the War Department was able to undercut rates with the result that it became cheaper to ship goods from the Great Lakes by way of the Mississippi and the Panama Canal to the Pacific Coast ports than to send them by rail.

**Expansion or Inflation.**

The discussion between the chairman and the witness led into various phases of economics, during which Wheeler declared that the depression of 1929 followed upon a colossal inflation of private credit. Buttenweiser replied that he preferred the term "expansion."

"When the Government does it, you call it inflation," exclaimed Wheeler, "but when private speculators are concerned, it is expansion."

"Precisely," the banker retorted. "And there is a profound difference. It is that Government inflation always ends in currency inflation."

"Do you think it would have been better," demanded Wheeler, "if we had not depreciated the dollar in 1933?"

"If I answered that," said the witness, amid laughter, "I should be like a defendant who refused to plead guilty or not guilty until all the evidence was in. The chapter is not yet closed. There are two ways of meeting a depression like that of 1929. One is to let deflation complete its course, and run everything through the wringer. That is the way England tried. We took the other. I don't know which is better. But it seems to me recovery in England was sounder and more rapid than in America."

As bankers for rival systems, like the Pennsylvania and the Baltimore & Ohio, Kuhn, Loeb & Co., suggested Senator Wheeler, must now and then encounter embarrassing situations.

"Life is full of embarrassing situations," was Buttenweiser's smiling response.

Wheeler inquired the opinion of the witness as to whether the present predicament of the railroads could better be treated by increasing rates or by reducing their debt structure. Buttenweiser answered that a majority of railroads under normal conditions would easily be able to support their present debt load, and that instead of increasing rates the same effect could be obtained by raising the rates of competitors such as busses, trucks and waterways, which are not subject to fixed charges for maintenance of way, certain taxes, etc.

"We are going into the bus and truck problem now," said Wheeler. The witness said that procedure was "very sound." The Senator asserted that "the solution is not to raise railroad rates but to get them down."

An exhibit introduced by the Senate committee's examiners and confirmed as presumably accurate by Buttenweiser showed that Kuhn, Loeb & Co. received $1,047,742 in commissions, interest on loans and fees for other transactions in connection with the purchase by the Wabash of Lehigh Valley stock in 1926-27. On this investment, Senator Wheeler interpolated, the Wabash took an eventual loss of $100,000,000.

"Was not that loss," inquired Wheeler, "a major factor of the railroad's second bankruptcy in 1931?"

"Not a major factor," replied the witness. "In fact, a very slight one."

At 1:30 p. m. Senator Wheeler recessed the hearings, subject to his call, until after the holidays.

## AIR RAIDS PRECAUTIONS ACT BECOMES LAW IN ENGLAND

### Measure Provides for Bomb-Proof Shelters, Gas Masks and Instruction of Citizens.

By the Associated Press.

LONDON, Dec. 22.—The air Raids Precautions Act, for strengthening civilian defenses, became law today, when royal assent was given in the House of Lords.

It provides for instructing the people on gas-proofing a room, for bomb-proof shelters and equipment storage houses in every community in England, for rescue and cleanup squads, for gas marks, shovels and other equipment that might be useful to citizens under attack in wartime.

## AUTO DRIVER FINED $180

### License Suspended for Year; He Will File Appeal.

Melvin Coleman, a bill collector, 4469 Delmar boulevard, was fined $180 and his driver's license was suspended for a year by Police Judge James F. Nangle today on charges of careless driving, leaving the scene of an accident and driving without lights.

Arrested early Sunday morning at Lafayette and Tower Grove avenues, he told a patrolman his car had struck a parked automobile in the 4000 block of Lafayette and he had not been able to find the owner. Coleman denied that he drove carelessly and said he would appeal.

## HANDBOOK OPERATOR ASSASSINATED IN AUTO

### Charles Kalb of Rockford, Ill., Shot From Window of Car That Followed Him.

By the Associated Press.

ROCKFORD, Ill., Dec. 22. — Charles Kalb, 46 years old, who Police Captain Henry Doebereiner said was known as a handbook operator, was shot and killed last night as he was driving to his home on the north side of the city.

His assailant fired from a fast-moving automobile which drew alongside the Kalb machine, in which the victim's wife and a friend, Harry Dunn, were riding. Doebereiner said the gunman fired through an open window of his car with a shotgun.

The first of the shots shattered the rear door glass of Kalb's car and hit him in the back of the head. The second discharge hit the top of the car. Mrs. Kalb was cut by flying glass.

Police said neither Mrs. Kalb nor Dunn, Kalb's bodyguard, could give a good description of the other car or its occupants. It apparently followed Kalb's car from a theater.

Kalb, a Rockford resident for 23 years, was indicted with a former Assistant Police Chief in 1934 on a charge of paying the police officer "protection money." Circuit Judge Arthur E. Fisher dismissed the charges in May, 1935.

Kalb received several threatening letters during the last few weeks, police said.

## INDICATES TERMINAL WILL BUILD EAST SIDE STATION

### Henry Miller Tells East St. Louis Official There Is No Disposition to Change Agreement.

A letter from Henry Miller, president of the Terminal Railroad Association, to John T. Connors, Commissioner of Finance of East St. Louis, is interpreted by city officials to mean that the Terminal has not abandoned the plan for a $700,000 Union Station on South Main street.

An item in an engineering magazine, stating that the building of the new station had been "indefinitely postponed," caused Commissioner Connors to write to Miller, reminding him of street vacations made by the city. In his reply, Miller said:

"There is no disposition on the part of the Terminal to change the agreement between this railroad and the city of East St. Louis."

The agreement, made in 1930, provided that the Terminal should build the new station and an underpass replacing the Broadway viaduct. The underpass, costing about $350,000, is now under construction. The improvements are part of the plan by which the Terminal is to use the St. Louis Municipal Bridge for trains. The new station, to replace the 40-year-old Relay Depot, was scheduled to be built in 1933, and that time was extended to 1935. There has been no further formal extension.

## NEWARK STRIKE FOR CLOSED SHOP IS DECLARED ILLEGAL

### Judge Rules Union Can't Have Monopoly on Jobs in Trade in a Given Community.

By the Associated Press.

NEWARK, N. J., Dec. 22.—Vice-Chancellor Maja Leon Berry ruled today a strike was illegal which had "for its primary object the enforcement of the closed shop on an employer and the creation of a monopoly of the employment in a particular trade in a given locality."

In a formal opinion detailing his reasons for prohibiting picketing at Canter's Sample Furniture House, Inc., Newark, by a retail furniture employes' local, Berry said New Jersey's "public policy" had not changed regarding monopolies by labor unions.

The strike, he said, appeared "but part and parcel of an attempt to unionize the entire retail furniture industry in Newark and vicinity and of the widespread campaign on behalf of 'labor' to unionize all industry in this country."

He declared the National Labor Relations Act had effected "no change in the principle of public policy relating to monopolies."

**Awarded $15,000 for Injuries.**

By the Associated Press.

FREEPORT, Ill., Dec. 22.—A Circuit Court jury today awarded $15,000 damages to Mrs. Eleanor McNary of Freeport, who sued the estate of Peter Grady, St. Louis, for injuries she said she suffered in an automobile collision a year ago. Brady and three others were killed and six were injured. Mrs. McNary's suit was for $25,000. The Illinois Valley Ice Cream Co. of Streator, Ill., a co-defendant, was absolved by the jury.

## BRITON WHO REFUSED TO PAY TAX TO BUY ARMS SENTENCED

### Schoolmaster Gets 7 Days After Figuring His Own Share of the Burden.

By the Associated Press.

BROMLEY, England, Dec. 22.—F. C. Ade, a schoolmaster at Eltham College, went to prison today rather than pay taxes to be spent on armaments.

Ade refused to pay income taxes amounting to about £5 ($25) which was the proportion of his total assessment he estimated would be spent on war materials. He paid the balance of his taxes, but refused to heed a court order to pay the remainder.

Magistrates sentenced him to 21 days imprisonment and then reduced the sentence to seven days so Ade could serve it during the Christmas holidays, thus keeping his teaching post.

## KILLS WIFE AND HIMSELF

### Illinoisan Beats Her to Death at Child's Side.

By the Associated Press.

CENTRALIA, Ill., Dec. 22.—Floyce Harrison, 40-year-old railroad employe, beat his estranged wife, Grace, to death with a hammer in a rooming house early today, while their 4-year-old son lay in bed beside her, and then killed himself by cutting his throat with a pocket knife.

A note in Harrison's pocket read: "Grace is not fit to raise a dog, much less a girl. This is the only way I know to make a lady out of her." Police said Harrison had been trying for several months to get his 15-year-old daughter, Mozelle, away from her mother.

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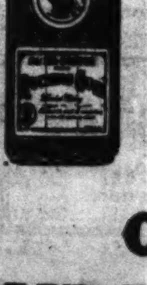

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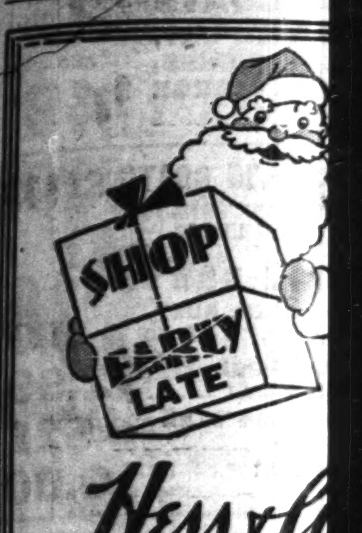

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A wave of strikes spread to every branch of the food industry as workers in retail stores quit in sympathy with the warehouse workers' demands. Truck drivers bringing produce to central markets from Eastern and Northern farm districts also struck.

A general strike of 3000 workers in the film industry in the Paris region was called today in protest against one studio which asked its employes to sign individual, rather than collective, contracts.

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## 34 CONVICTS ARE GRANTED PAROLES BY GOVERNOR STARK

### It's No Christmas Gesture, Executive Says; Most of Them Are First Offenders.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, Dec. 22.—Paroles were issued by Gov. Stark to 34 convicts today on recommendations by the State Board of Probation and Parole. The Governor said the releases were not intended as Christmas paroles, but that he merely was disposing at one time of a group of recommendations sent to him by the board.

Virtually all of those paroled were convicts with short sentences, varying from two to five years, and most of them were first offenders. James Elrod, St. Louis County, and Tom Stoddard, Negro, of St. Louis, were included in the group. Elrod originally was sentenced to five years for robbery of a messenger boy for a drug store in University City. Stoddard was sentenced to 25 years for the murder of Oscar Dodson in St. Louis. Both had escapes in their penal records.

The Governor granted four pardons for the purpose of restoring citizenship to former convicts, including David Klegman, formerly of St. Louis, and John Bohlein of St. Louis. Klegman was sentenced for five years, from Jan. 9, 1928, for robbery, and was discharged Nov. 8, 1930, after serving seven-twelfths of his sentence. He now lives in Los Angeles. John Bohlein, an electrician, served one year and eight months of a five-year sentence for robbery.

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## QUARREL WITHIN T V A AIRED BY BERRY SUIT

### Two Directors Call Chairman A. E. Morgan's Statement 'False and Malicious.'

By the Associated Press.

KNOXVILLE, Tenn., Dec. 22.—Differences among the directors of the Tennessee Valley Authority broke out in the open today when Directors David E. Lilienthal and H. A. Morgan issued a statement charging Chairman A. E. Morgan cast unwarranted reflections on his associates when testifying in the case involving claims of United State Senator Berry and others for marble leases inundated by Norris Dam.

The directors declared "false and malicious" the "inference" by Chairman Morgan that a majority of the board had ignored reports of experts and agreed to recognize value in the claims of Berry and others.

Lilienthal and H. A. Morgan said they issued their statement after they had analyzed assertions made Monday by Morgan at a hearing before a three-man Federal commission in which the T V A sought to have the mineral and marble leases of Berry and others declared worthless.

**Testimony of Morgan.**

At the hearing, Chairman Morgan testified he opposed an agreement to conciliate the Berry case because he believed the leases had been purchasd "with intent to defraud the Government." He testified the agreement to conciliate was made by Directors H. A. Morgan and Lilienthal after T V A geologists and experts had reported the Berry marble deposits had no value.

The majority of the T V A board agreed July 13, 1936, to name a conciliator to act in the case. Chairman Morgan fought the plan, he said, and last May the T V A ended any conciliation efforts and instituted condemnation proceedings.

Chairman Morgan testified at the hearings at his own request, declaring he wished to bring out "certain facts pertinent to the issue." This implied, the two directors said, that the T V A counsel had "failed to present T V A's case adequately," and indirectly implied certain facts had been suppressed.

**Record of Testimony.**

"The record shows, however," the joint statement said, "that prior to Dr. Morgan's appearance before the Condemnation Commission our counsel (a) had presented witness after witness who asserted that the claims, in their expert opinion, were without value; (b) had presented facts indicating bad faith, facts previously unknown to anyone connected with the authority until discovered by our attorneys . . . (c) had conducted vigorous and unsparing cross-examination of opposition witnesses."

The two directors asserted "the fact is indisputable" that none of the board at any time "disagreed with or disregarded the opinion of T V A's experts that these leases were valueless."

"But, recognizing that even the best experts may not be infallible," the statement continued, "a majority of the board were of the opinion that the conclusions of our experts and the experts of the claimants should be weighed by some outstanding technical man from the outside . . . before proceeding to the expense of this protracted condemnation litigation."

## WORK AT SITE OF LAKE ABOVE ALTON DAM STOPPED

### Army Engineer Awaiting Word as to Why Trees Are Not Being Removed.

Work of removing trees from 2650 acres of the site of the lake to be formed by the Mississippi River above the Alton dam was stopped by the contractor, James J. O'Brien of St. Louis, early this month, Lieutenant-Colonel P. S. Reinecke, district engineer for the army, said to a Post-Dispatch reporter today. Col. Reinecke added that he did not know the reason, but expected word shortly from O'Brien or his surety, the Maryland Casualty Co., as to whether it would be resumed.

If they did not carry out the job, for which O'Brien received a $55,554 contract, although army engineers had estimated the work would cost much more, it would be turned over to another contractor, hired labor or the W P A, the Colonel declared. Any excessive cost would be charged to the surety, he said.

When O'Brien attempted to start work in October, labor troubles interfered. It was announced Nov. 12 that these had been settled, with O'Brien agreeing to employ St. Charles County union men at 67½ cents an hour, rather than the Government minimum of 50 cents. About 5 per cent of the work has been done, Col. Reinecke said.

## LAW FIXING WAGE MINIMUMS FOR ILLINOIS FIREMEN UPHELD

### State Supreme Court's Ruling Believed Also to Validate Similar Law for Policemen.

By the Associated Press.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Dec. 22.—The Illinois Supreme Court held coinstitutional today legislation granting firemen in larger downstate cities minimum salaries ranging from $150 to $175 a month.

Although the ruling, which upheld the Sangamon County Circuit Court, applied only to firemen, it apparently upheld the validity of a companion measure fixing the same mimimum wages for policemen.

The legislation had been attacked by the Illinois Municipal League and 25 downstate cities, which contended they were unable to comply with its provisions because Gov. Horner vetoed a companion measure permitting an increase in tax rates without referendum.

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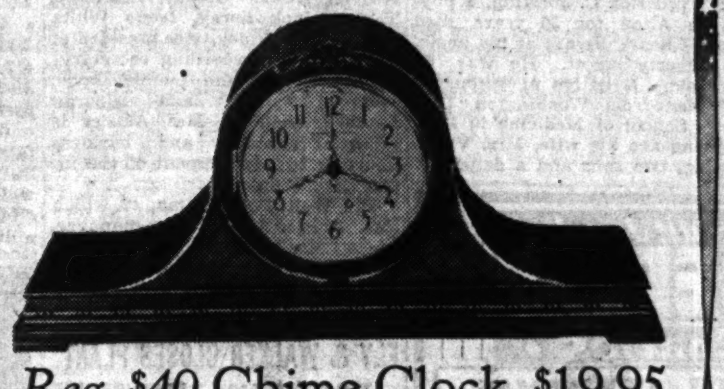

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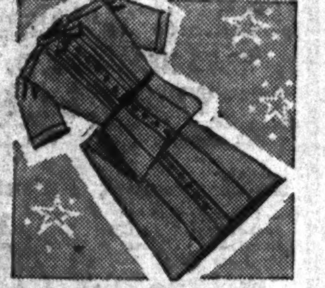

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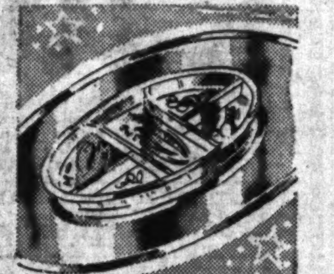

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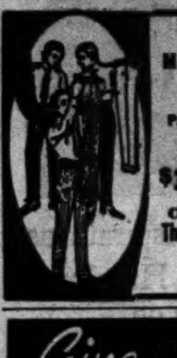
**Episcopal Ministers' Pension Fund.**

NEW YORK, Dec. 22.—The pension fund of the Episcopal Church is paying $1,304,000 annually to 2300 retired clergymen or their widows or minor orphans, a report to the fund trustees yesterday showed. These payments, President William Fellows Morgan said, compared with $669,000 10 years ago. The fund has invested assets of $33,472,000.



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The "Elgin"
A very dependable timepiece. Gold-filled case. 7 jewels. Fully warranted — $29.75
75c Week

## SEATTLE STAR SAYS IT CAN'T COMPLY WITH N L R B ORDER

### Newspaper Letting Controversy Over 20 Employes Go to Courts.

By the Associated Press.

SEATTLE, Wash., Dec. 22.—Attorneys for the Seattle Star wrote the Regional Labor Board yesterday the newspaper was unable to comply with the board's order to reinstate 20 discharged American Newspaper Guild employes.

Attorney S. S. Hahn and Carl E. Crosson said the American Federation of Labor Teamster-Guild controversy over the jobs must "go to the courts."

"The teamsters local (whose members succeeded the Guild workers) refuses to recede from its original position," the letter said. "This leaves the Star in the position of having two labor organizations claiming jurisdiction over the 20 jobs in the circulation department. Manifestly, it is impossible to satisfy both."

At the time of the ruling, Charles W. Hope, regional director, said an enforcement order would be sought from the Circuit Court of Appeals.

**Dr. F. C. Joesting Dies at Alton.**

Dr. Frederick C. Joesting, a phycian in Alton for 36 years, died today of heart disease at his home, 1420 Liberty street. He was 59 years old. A native of Alton, he graduated from Washington University School of Medicine in 1901. Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Violet Joesting, two sons and a daughter.

## WAITERS NAME HENRY EARL UNION BUSINESS AGENT

### Results of Election Announced Give Him Plurality Over Four Contestants.

Henry Earl was elected secretary-business agent of St. Louis Waiters' Union Local 20 for one year in a vote taken by the membership Monday.

The results of the election for the salaried position were announced by Mrs. Kitty Amsler, international vice-president of the Hotel & Restaurant Employes' International union, as follows: Earl, 188 votes; J. McElavaney, 100; Joe Costello, 98; Henry Oakley, 91, and John O'Malley, 57. Earl and O'Malley were appointed business agents of the union last summer by Mrs. Amsler following the suspension of Herbert Friss. Costello and three other paid employes of the organization were ousted from their jobs last July.

Other elections were held this month in hotel and restaurant unions. In the Miscellaneous Hotel Workers, claiming 3500 members, officers elected Dec. 13 are: Gilbert Diedrichson, president; William Nichols, Luther Glancy, Lawrence Taylor, Jack Spray, Irene White and Edward Foley, vice-presidents; Eula Eustace, recording secretary; Marion Besuza and Lucille Davis, sergeant-at-arms, and George Mitchell, chaplain. Mrs. Amsler is financial secretary and business manager by appointment of the international union.

The Waitresses' Union, of which Mrs. Amsler is secretary-manager, re-elected all officers for five years on Dec. 8. The unions have a three-year wage agreement with leading St. Louis hotels.

## ELY & WALKER CLOSES PLANT AT SALEM, MO., AFTER STRIKE

### Union Seeks Sole Bargaining Privileges; Factory Is Picketed.

SALEM, Mo., Dec. 22.—The Ely & Walker Dry Goods Co. factory here was closed yesterday, followng the calling of a strike by the International Ladies' Garment Workers' Union, an American Federation of Labor affiliate which is seeking recognition of the union as the sole bargaining agent for the employes.

The plant was picketed by union members, who permitted the foreman and clerical employes to get through the line into the building. Charles Emde, local manager, said he closed the plant completely on orders from the St. Louis office.

Edgar Bixler, union president, said the immediate causes for the strike were failure to obtain union recognition and the fact that anti-union handbills had been circulated in town. Emde said he had had several conferences with a union committee, but that the committee "was unable to agree on its demands."

The plant normally employs between 250 and 300 workers, but has been operating on a reduced schedule for the last two months, employing only 75 to 80 workers two days a week.

## CLEANERS UNION TO HOLD MEMBERSHIP MEETING

### Deposed Officers of Affiliate of A. F. of L. Propose That They Be Heard.

A membership meeting of Local No. 20 of the Cleaners and Dye House Workers' Union, whose principal officers were summarily removed last Friday, will be held at 8 o'clock tonight at Carpenter's Hall, Grand boulevard and Easton avenue.

The deposed officers are Ted Graham, business agent; Mathew A. McLoughlin, secretary-treasurer, and Allen Flory, president. J. W. Kramer of Kansas City, international second vice-president of the union, said the men were removed for conduct unbecoming offiicals of an A. F. of L. union.

In a statement sent to union members, the removed officers propose that they be heard at the meeting. Graham has said that he and his fellow officers were discharged because of their policies, and for having pressed charges against police for an alleged assault on McLoughlin while he was under arrest.

## PEACE CONFERENCE CALLED ON NEW YORK CAB STRIKE

### Alleged Violation of Agreement With Union Brings Walkout.

NEW YORK, Dec. 22.—A peace conference on New York's taxicab strike was called today by Nathan Frankel, Mayor LaGuardia's labor counsel, while striking cab drivers made ready to picket hack stands in the Times Square and shopping districts.

The strike, called by the Transport Workers' Union, spread to the last eight companies of the 24 associated with the Sunshine Radio System yesterday. There were scattered reports of fist fights in garages between strikers and non-strikers.

The union said that 2285 cabs and 4345 men were idle. Otto Gutfreund, general manager of the cab company, said "only a couple hundred" cabs were running. The rest of the city's 13,500 cabs continued to operate as usual.

The union has confined its strike to the Sunshine System, charging violations of an agreement negotiated last fall.

**School Holidays Until Jan. 3.**

Christmas holidays for public school pupils and teachers will begin at noon Friday and last for nine and one-half days. The schools will reopen Monday, Jan. 3. In East St. Louis the public schools will be closed after tomorrow, opening again Jan. 3.

## A. F. L. TO CALL OFF WORKERS ON SOLDIERS' MEMORIAL

### Plans Walkout When Trophy Cases Made by C I O Union Arrive for Installation.

John J. Church, secretary of the Building Trades Council, told a Post-Dispatch reporter today that American Federation of Labor mechanics would be called off the job at the Soldiers' Memorial when trophy display cases made by Committee for Industrial Organization workmen arrived.

The Board of Public Service yesterday let a contract for the trophy cases to the Usona Manufacturing Co., the lowest of four bidders. The firm employs C I O labor, and the Building Trades Council had protested against giving the contract to the firm.

"That means we will be out," Church said when informed the award had been made with the approval of the regional director of the P W A. He said A. F. of L. carpenters, electricians and cement polishers were employed on the memorial building.

The Usona bid, $13,800, was $1150 below the next offer, made by the St. Louis Bank Building and Equipment Co., which employs A. F. of L. labor.

**Woman, 65, Dies of Burns.**

Mrs. Alice McCoy, 65 years old, 417 Brady avenue, East St. Louis, died this morning at Christian Welfare Hospital, where she had been under treatment for burns of the face, neck and arms, suffered Nov. 24, when a can of polish exploded while she was polishing a heated stove. A widow, she is survived by a daughter and four sons.

## BOXMAKERS' LOCAL LOSES THIRD NLRB ELECTION

### Universal-Engel Paper Box Co. Employes Vote Against It, 55 to 25.

Box Makers' Local 130, affiliated with the A. F. of L. International Brotherhood of Bookbinders, lost its third recent election yesterday when employes of the Universal-Engel Paper Box Co., 512 O'Fallon street, voted, 55 to 25, against collective bargaining representation by Local 130.

The election, held at 1313 North Broadway after working hours, was supervised by the regional office of the National Labor Relations Board. Other firms at which the union had petitioned for an election, and lost, were the F. J. Schleicher Paper Box Co. and the Service Paper Box Co.

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BLACK-GREEN, RUST, BLACK, ETC., 14 TO 50 $10
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$35-$39 HUDSON SEAL FABRIC COATS ------ $21
$25 TO $29 FUR JACKETS ------- $10.00
$2.95 TO $6.95 DRESSES
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ALL 3 STORES OPEN NIGHTS 'TILL CHRISTMAS! SHOP TONIGHT!

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Extra fine quality sandwich Toasters in several beautiful patterns. Tray type base, side handles and top handle. Chrome plated.
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Guaranteed electric elements.

$2.50 HEATING PAD
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Complete sets for boys and young men. Celebrated Stanley quality.
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Excellent quality pin-valve, Football with pure gum bladder, special.
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Beautiful modern style Bird Cages with removable tray and feed trays. Complete with stand to match --- $2.48

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### REGULAR 5c

- Roi Tan
- Harvester
- San Felice
- Deunida
- Garcia Grande
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- Emerson
- El Verso

Box of 25 Cigars 98c

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- Bering

Box of 25 $1.88 | Regular 2 for 25c size. Box of 25 $2.39

5c BANKERS CIGARS, handmade, tin of 25 Cigars for 53c | Popular LA PALLUM Cigars. Bx. of 25 95c | Handsome spun aluminum Humidor and 50 Dry Slitz Cigars. Regular $2.50 value. All for $1.39

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REG 10.00 31 PIECE STREAMLINED-STEAM TYPE
REMOTE CONTROLLED-REVERSIBLE
COMBINATION PASSENGER-FREIGHT

COMMODORE VANDERBILT Electric TRAIN SET

OVER 17 FT. OF TRACK

Transformer with air-cooled base.

Mothers! Dads! Remember this is a regular $10, 31-piece train set! Check over the 31 pieces:

- Locomotive
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- 20 Sections of Track
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- Ribbon Mix
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- Mint Straws Pound, 13c

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New crop Georgia Paper Shell PECANS, Pound 19c

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Contains shaving cream, tooth paste, talc & shaving lotion 89c

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- Lotion
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In attractive box for gift giving 89c

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## LADIES' DRESSER SETS For Gifts!

"Last-Minute Shoppers" choose from this beautiful selection.

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- Comb
- Brush
- Mirror

In Colonial Lady Design! Smart gift box. 93c

$2.50 VAL. 3-PC. SET In gorgeous box, only $1.59

$3.00 VAL. 3-PC. SET 24-carat gold plate trimmed. $1.98

$5.00 Value, 3-Piece Set, 24 Karat Gold Plated. $2.98

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## GIFT FOUNTAIN PENS AND PENCIL SETS

$1 'Wearever'
In beautiful combination colors; gold plated point and trimmings; large ink capacity. For last-minute shoppers 49c

$1.50 Wearever Fountain Pen—only 97c | $2 Pioneer De Luxe Fountain Pen-Pencil Set $1.49 | Parker's Parkerette Pen and Pencil Set $1.95

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## CUTEX AND GLAZO SETS

CUTEX 5-MINUTE Polish Remover and 5 other essentials for the manicure. In gift box. $1 value. 89c

75c GLAZO Polish Remover and 5 other manicure essentials! In gift box. 45c

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## FREE! LADIES' GENUINE DIAMOND RING WITH THE PURCHASE OF ANY WATCH

Priced at $9.75 or More!

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## Ladies' $5 Solid Gold BIRTHSTONE RING

Sparkling, colorful setting in solid gold mounting. The correct stone for each month of the year. $2.95

At Jewelry Dept.

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It's Electrified—Flashes the winning combination on the wall. Complete set, ready to play. $2.00 value, 98c

LESS THAN HALF PRICE

## Park & Tilford Fine Chocolates

Milk or Dark Assortments Hard, Chewy Pieces, 60c Value

Old Fashioned Assortment. POUND BOX 49c

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With liquor-proof, burn-proof top. Smart baked enamel finish! $1.89

Shipped Express Collect

## DONALD DUCK BRUSH SET

Brush and comb with a sassy Donald on the back! In clever gift box. 49c

2 Brushes and Comb, as illustrated 98c

## Famous Regular 5c CANADIAN CLUB Cigars

Christmas wrapped boxes of 25 cigars. 57c

Box of 50 $1.09

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"American Beauty" quality, by the makers of Congress. With fancy backs. 39c

3 Decks $1.15

## TYPEWRITER

Little Stenographers — You can actually type out letters on this toy typewriter. Self-inking! 76c

At Toy Dept.

COUPON

## STEEL TOYS

Wagons, Autos, Dump Trucks, Airplanes and Bank Trucks. Heavy gauge steel, brightly enameled. With this Coupon — 8c

Limit 8. Bring Coupon to Toy Dept.

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Exquisite fragrances that express . . . so much more adequately than words . . . how happy you want her Christmas to be!

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- Tweed or Miracle $4
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- $10.75 Bellodgia $9.98
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- Shalimar $10
- Vol de Nuit $10

### CIRO
- Surrender $5
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- Kobako $5
- Evening in Paris $2.00

### LUCIEN LELONG
- Indiscret $5
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At Toilet Goods Dept.

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### SANDWICH TOASTER
Toasts two sandwiches at once! May also be used for bacon, eggs, etc.! An ideal gift! $2 val. $1.09

### HEATING PAD
$4.50 Faultless De Luxe! With 3-heat switch, zipper blanket cover, wet-proof cover. $2.49

### WAFFLE IRON
$4.50 Kwikway! With chrome top and black base; heat indicator. 1-year guarantee $2.49

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$2 Faultless De Luxe! Beats, whips, mixes. A helpful, practical gift! $1.39

### $1.50 PERCOLATOR
4-cup size; shiny aluminum finish. 1-year guarantee! Gift for the housewife 99c

## OVEN BAKED HAM

- Raisin Sauce
- Candied Yams
- Baked Beans
- Bread and Butter

Served Thursday for 25c

## Regular $23.75 MIXMASTER

New 1938 Model

With powerful motor that can be regulated for 10 different speeds. Complete with juicer and oil dripper—

$15.69 While They Last

No gift could be more useful—a complete kitchen servant—mashes, whips, mixes, beats and blends!

At Electrical Dept.

## WRIST WATCHES

For Last Minute Gifts!

$5 INGRAM "Fashion" newest design fully guaranteed $1.99

"MICKEY MOUSE" Wrist Watch, choice bands. $3.25 Value $2.29

$5 INGRAM WRIST-OCRAT, a lovely watch for "him" or "her" $2.49

$3.50 INGERSOLL Aero-wrist Watch; thinner, smarter. $2.79

At Kodak Dept.

## PRO-PHY-LAC-TIC MILITARY SETS

Are Always Nice for Men or Boys!

$1.50 VALUE 3-piece set Comb and 2 Brushes with metal backs, in gift package $1.19

$3.50 VALUE 4-piece set: 2 Military Brushes; Comb and Clothes Brush. $1.95

At Sundry Dept.

## Katz SLASHES PRICES ON TOYS

### 25c PULL TOYS
Large assortment of Pull Toys that are harmless to the little tot 19c

### Popeye & Olive Oyl
Olive plays while Popeye jigs 39c

### $1 SKY BIRD
Flyer. Takes off! Flys! Lands! 87c

### CIRCUS TRUCKS
and Trailer filled with animals 39c

### Miss Charming Doll
A charming playmate for any little girl! Full 13 inches tall; comes fully dressed 87c

### TEDDY BEAR
19 inches tall! Soft and cuddly! He'll win your tot's heart! 79c

### MIDWAY TARGET
Games — Complete with 2 guns and 8 darts, $1 value 87c

At Toy Dept.

## GIFTS for "HER"

### EVENING IN PARIS 2-Pc. Set
- Talcum
- Cologne

In gift box $1.85

### Helena RUBINSTEIN
Bath Set in sophisticated gift box.
- Eau de Enchante Cologne
- Enchante Dusting Powder $2.50

### HOUBIGANT
Eau Florales Set
- Verbena
- Gardenia
- Honeysuckle Cologne $3

### YARDLEY
Ladies' Set. 3 Creams, English Lavender, Lavendomeal, Guest Soap $1.95

### Harriet Hubbard AYER
Campus Carryall! 12 exquisite Ayer beauty preparations in smart alligator finish kit $5

$5.00

At Toilet Goods Dept.

## Katz "CHRISTMAS CHEER" Leaders

### Drury Lane DRY GIN
Distilled! . . . with the true Juniper flavor! Quart 99c

### SARATOGA Straight Kentucky BOURBON
26 Months Old! Full Fifth $1.19

### APOLLO GRAPE BRANDY
100-Proof! Bottled in Bond! 15 Years Old Pint, $1.39

### OLD ROMAN California WINES
Claret Sauterne Burgundy Gallon 79c

### Imported KINTORE SCOTCH WHISKEY
10 Years Old! $2.59 FIFTH Smooth, Mellow!

### ARCADIA CLUB
3-Year-Old Straight Whiskey Special for Last Minute Shoppers PINT 77c

### DERBY DAN Kentucky Bourbon WHISKEY
90 PROOF Pint 79c

### LAIRD McDANIEL SCOTCH TYPE WHISKEY
Fifth, $1.79

## PROJECTOR

For your home movies. Complete with rheostat speed control. 16 m. m. size. $3.95

FREE! 25-Ft. Film.

Handsome Glass Humidor Jar of

## PRINCE ALBERT SMOKING TOBACCO

Regular $1.75 value. All for 98c

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With tilting socket so fountain pen always rests in horizontal position, instantly accessible to the writer! Beautiful ceramic base. 88c

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Vest pocket size. Takes amazingly clear 1⅝x2½-inch pictures. This Christmas "Give a Kodak!" $4.19

## TRAVEL KIT For Men!

12 pieces in genuine leather case with zipper on three sides. $2.88

Name Stamped in Gold Free

## 75c DIARY

That You Can Use for 5 Years!

Leather-like binding with smart gilt edges. Complete with lock and key. 19c

## AUTOMATIC Railroad Station

With baggage truck, trunk, grips, satte and lamp post. 79c

Every boy has a train set. Give him a Railroad Station to complete his outfit.

COUPON

Pure Crystal Cut Glass

## CIGARETTE BOX

And Ash Tray Combination. The perfect bridge table tray. Specially priced! WITH THIS KATZ COUPON! EACH 10c

Limit 3. Bring Coupon to Tobacco Dept.

## XMAS WRAPPINGS and Decorations

$1 Wrapping Assortment, Seals, Tags, Paper, Ribbon, etc. 49c

Christmas Tree Ornaments, 6 Glittering Balls 9c

Cellophane Cord, Ass't Colors. Roll 9c

Tissue Paper, 20x30 sheets, 12 for 5c

At Xmas Card Dept

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## Regular 5c PRINCESSA LOUISA CLEAR HAVANA CIGARS

Box of 25 Cigars 89c

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## Electric Clocks

$2.50 ALDEN Electric Alarm. Dependable, with smooth, gentle bell alarm. Modernistic mantel type case in black or ivory $1.39

$6.50 G. E. Electric Alarm. Operates quietly, dependably! $3.39 | Hammond Atlantic Radio or Mantel Clock. $6.75 value! $2.49

At Electrical Dept.

Katz RAPID-FIRE SERVICE

## WHEEL GOODS VALUES

SKIPPY $5 SCOOTER
Streamlined design with metal stand and genuine rubber tires. Brightly painted frame! $3.29

$5 TAYLOR TOT
Actually teaches the baby to walk! With detachable handle! Bright enamel finish! $2.39

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## SALE OF PIPES AND LIGHTERS

$1 FRANK MEDICO OR MILANO Nationally Advertised FINE PIPES. CHOICE 87c

$3.75 Ronson Standard or Princess Model lighters $3.49

Famous Briarcraft Aero Pipes. Air Cooled Smoke 89c

Golden Wheel Lighters Chrome finish 88c

$2.50 Kingscourt Bruyere Pipes. By Sasieni $1.49

$4.50 Ronson Petite Lighters. For Ladies! $4.29

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## FOR "HIM" GLOVES

CAPESKIN OR PIGSKINETTE

THEY'RE WASHABLE! The finest quality, softest leathers! Smartest, new, dressy styles in pull-over or snap wrist types! Choose unlined or fleece lined.

Gray Brown Black Tan Natural Colors

PACKED IN XMAS BOX $1.19

At Men's Furnishing Dept.

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## GIVE THEM Tonemaster

$17.50 Val! 5-tube, AC-DC receiver with 5-inch speaker, airplane dial and built-in aerial! $12.98

$24.98 Value! 5-tube, AC set with 6-inch speaker and tone control. $16.98 | $32.50 Value! 7-tube, AC receiver with tuning eye, 6-inch speaker! $21.98

At Auto Supply Dept.

# WAGE PROVISION LIKELY TO GO OUT OF HOUSING BILL

### Plan for Fixing Scale for Workers on New Construction Hard to Carry Out, Wagner Says.

### SENATE APPROVED MEASURE, 66 TO 4

### Conferees Will Meet Jan. 3 and May Retain Section for Insurance on Farm Homes.

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22.—Senator Wagner (Dem.), New York, predicted today House and Senate conferees on the administration's housing bill would delete a provision that the Labor Department fix a wage scale for workers engaged in the contemplated residential building program.

The provision, suggested by Senator Lodge (Rep.), Massachusetts, was inserted yesterday by the Senate, 50 to 17, after Republican leader McNary forced a roll call vote.

A few minutes later the Senate passed the bill 66 to 4. Those voting against it were Borah (Rep.), Idaho; Frazier (Rep.), North Dakota; Lodge (Rep.), Massachusetts, and Townsend (Rep.), Delaware. The House bill was approved Saturday.

**Difficult to Carry Out.**

Wagner said Lodge's wage scale amendment would be "almost impossible" to carry out.

"The Department of Labor would have to take into consideration the prevailing wages paid in every community in which there was F H A insured construction," he asserted. "This would involve considerable delay, when the object of the program is to get housing construction moving rapidly."

The New York Senator indicated that the joint committee appointed to compose differences between House and Senate bills would consider a proposal that labor and contractors agree on a wage scale.

Wagner said the committee probably would not meet before Jan. 3. Senate conferees are Wagner, Bulkley (Dem.), Ohio; Hitchcock (Dem.), South Dakota; Townsend (Rep.), Delaware, and Steiwer (Rep.), Oregon. House conferees are Representatives Steagal (Dem.), Alabama; Goldsborough (Dem.), Maryland; Reilly (Dem.), Wisconsin; Wolcott (Rep.), Michigan, and Fish (Rep.), New York.

Wagner said he thought there would be little controversy over other points. He predicted an agreement could be reached "within an hour."

**Provision for Farm Homes.**

The La Follette amendment adopted by the Senate to bring farm homes within the F H A insurance provisions may stand, some conferees said. It would require certification by the Secretary of Agriculture that the farm is capable of yielding a return sufficient to pay off the mortgage.

Under terms of the housing legislation, it would be possible to buy a $6000 house for a down payment of a little as 10 per cent. Interest and insurance charges would be cut to 5¼ per cent for smaller homes and to 5½ per cent on those above the $6000 classification.

The F H A would be allowed to insure as much as 80 per cent of the mortgages on multi-family rental projects.

The modernization and repair section of the National Housing Act would be revived to permit the F H A to underwrite loans for such work up to $2500.

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**Tavern Owner Robbed.**

Thomas Rickaby, tavern owner, 4300 Blair avenue, was robbed of $27 last night by two men, who locked him and two customers in the icebox.

## DECEMBER TAX COLLECTIONS NEARLY 70 PER CENT HIGHER

### Income Payments, $467,782,101 in 20 Days, Almost Up to Estimate for Full Month.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22.—Treasury officials announce that December income tax collections are coming up to estimates.

In the first 20 days of the month, $467,782,101 of income taxes were paid, compared with estimates of between $450,000,000 and $500,000,000 for the full month and $275,706,756 in the first 21 days of December, 1936. Every state contributed to the nearly 70 per cent increase over last year for this period.

Meanwhile, collections from all taxes for the fiscal year crossed the $3,000,000,000 mark, indicating the first six months of the year will close on Dec. 31 with nearly half of the $6,650,000,000 Mr. Roosevelt estimated would be collected for the complete year. At this time last year, only $2,000,000,000 had been collected.

Expenditures, however, are running slightly ahead of last year although they were budgeted a peg lower. On Dec. 18, $3,595,622,353 had been spent, compared with $3,317,158,984 on the same date last year.

On Dec. 18, the gross deficit was $575,742,973 and the net deficit (gross minus debt retirements) $537,966,623.

December collection figures by revenue districts included First Missouri, $4,287,405 in 1936, $7,793,452 in 1937; Sixth Missouri, $1,731,161 and $2,753,997; Eighth Illinois, $1,425,960 and $2,500,547.

## NAZI FOREIGN AGENTS' HEAD GIVEN INCREASED POWERS

### Ernst Bohle to Have Authority to Make "Ministerial Decisions."

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BERLIN, Dec. 22.—Despite the growing opposition in the United States and other countries to the activities of Nazi agents and elements abroad, Ernst Wilhelm Bohle, chief of the Nazi party foreign organization and of its Foreign Bureau in the Foreign Office, has been given new prestige, and possibly power, under a Foreign Office circular signed by Foreign Minister Baron Konstantin von Neurath, it became known yesterday.

The circular, intended for the information of other Government ministries, states that decisions made by Bohle as head of the bureau "are ministerial decisions," which means they have the force of Foreign Office decisions.

Neurath, an old-line German diplomat, it is known, opposed the aggressive policy being followed by Bohle with respect to Germans abroad. The present circular seems to indicate that Bohle is being supported firmly from quarters higher up and that Neurath and his aids have lost a round in this controversy.

**Priest Robbed of $50.**

A sneak thief who entered the parish house of St. Theresa's Catholic Church, 2413 North Grand boulevard, obtained $50 and a wrist watch from the desk of the Rev. Michael J. O'Keefe, pastor. Police are searching for a man Father O'Keefe saw loitering on church premises Monday.

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| $5 Automatic Iron | $1.98 |
| $3 GILBERT Elec. Alarm Clock | $1.29 |
| $7.50 Majestic Elec. Shaver, | $4.95 |
| $7 AUTOMATIC WAFFLE IRON, | $3.95 |
| Hotpoint, Universal, Westinghouse Urn or Percolator Sets, $12 to $20 values | $5.95 & $8.95 |
| $1.50 Sandwich Toaster, elec. | 79c |
| Toastmaster Jr. 2-slice toaster, | $5.95 |
| $2 Electric Hair Dryer | 88c |

$16 MIXER and JUICER
$8.45 Complete with juicer and 2 bowls

Nationally Known
You will recognize this widely advertised mixer.

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| $5 Conklin Pen and Pencil Set | $2.49 |
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| Daisy Target Pistol | $1.59 |
| $5 Hunting Coat or Breeches, | $2.49 |
| $3.50 Defrost. Fan, Rubber Bl., | $1.98 |

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8 fancy colored electric lights with add-a-light socket.
Tree Light Bulbs, 1c ea.
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THRIFT-PRICED Gifts FOR LATE SHOPPERS

SEE OUR OTHER ANNOUNCEMENT ON PAGE 5, THIS SECTION

SHOP Thursday, from 9:30 A.M. to 6 P.M.

5-POUND BOX CHOCOLATES $1.00
A grand gift for all the family—Homemade kitchen-fresh—a large 5-pound gift box with an assortment of creams, caramels, nougats. (Downstairs Store.)

Men's Four-in-Hand TIES
Wide Array of Patterns 25c
Don't judge these ties by their low price—See them! All in the popular four-in-hand style—full length—with good linings. Neat patterns and designs for men and young men.

DUR-O-SUEDE (Suede-Like Fabric) DRESSES
New, Bright Colors $2.99
Tailored and sports types with zippers, novel collars, sleeve and pocket treatments. Sizes 14 to 20. Also print, acetate, taffeta and Gamza Dresses in dressy or tailored types. Smartest colors. Misses' and women's sizes 14 to 44. (Downstairs Store.)

Girls' Party DRESSES
Reg. $1.98 to $2.98
$1.69
Young moderns will adore these pastel rayon taffetas with gored skirts or ruffles. Also printed acetates and spun rayon fabrics in a variety of clever styles, some have zipper neck treatments. Sizes 7 to 16 in the lot. A sample group. (Downstairs Store.)

Infants', Tots' and Toddlers' DRESSES
Priced Special Thursday $1.00
FOR INFANTS' are exquisitely embroidered and tucked batiste Frocks; scalloped neck and hem or Peter Pan collar and hemmed bottoms; 0 to 2.
TODDLERS' dainty handmade embroidered Frocks in prints, sheers and solid colors. 1 to 3.
TOTS' printed or solid color percales; print or dot sheers—adorable styles with gored skirts, Princess lines—3 to 6. (Downstairs Store.)

Toy Specials
16-Piece Tool Chest — Red hinged Tool Chest with hammer, saw, screw driver, mallet, etc. $1
DOLL TRUNKS 69c to $2.98 — Wood frame or metal wardrobe Trunks; 12 to 18 inch sizes.
Housecleani'g Sets — For the little housekeeper, including broom, dustpan, duster, dustcap, etc. 59c
A Toy Gift Free to every child accompanied by an adult.

New Arrivals! Women's Gift BAGS
With 2 Ininitials 97c
Late shoppers can still choose from a wide array of smart styles—due to this new assortment. Calf, patent or buffalo grains — underams with zippers, top handles and top zippers. Black and fashionable colors. (Downstairs Store.)

Women's 79c Colorful Wool GLOVES
Gauntlet or Tight Wrist 59c
Bright, colorful gifts, but practical ones as well. Grand for ice skating, school and general wear. Worsted or brushed wools in solid colors or colorful combinations; misses' sizes 4 to 7 and women's 6 to 8. (Downstairs Store.)

Beautiful Sheer MILANESE UNDIES
Reg. 79c 59c
You'll choose for yourself as well as for gifts at these savings. A brand-new assortment of pantie and brief styles in the popular tailored as well as daintily trimmed styles. All in tearose shade. Small, medium, large sizes. (Downstairs Store.)

1200 Grand Gift SLIPS
Brocaded Satins Dovesheen Crepes Baby Skin Satins
$1.00
Handsomely trimmed as well as the practical tailored types—bias cut, self material, adjustable shoulder straps—all seams are double stitched. Misses' and women's sizes 34 to 44. (Downstairs Store.)

Women's $2.98 ROBES
Beacon or Esmond $1.99
Warm, practical robes in a wide selection of attractive patterns. Satin or cord trims, patch pockets—silk cord belts. All are full length and have a larger lap. Small, medium and large sizes. (Downstairs Store.)

Women's Better Wool Cardigan SWEATERS
Wanted Colors $1.98
Make such practical gifts, for they're suitable for year-round wear. All wool, in very fine weave — button-front styles. Choose from luster blue, wine, brown, navy, rust. Sizes for misses and women. (Downstairs Store.)

Just 300 Men's $3.99 Part-Wool ROBES
Solid Colors $2.99
Gift shoppers can save $1 on these popular robes for men. Neatly tailored—styled with large collar, wide sash girdle and deep pockets. Your choice of maroon, navy and brown. All sizes. (Downstairs Store.)

Brand-New Lot Boys' Br'cloth SHIRTS
Fast Color 50c
Choose them in the new blazer stripes or patterns in tan, blue and green; also plain white. Full cut, nicely tailored with center pleats. Stand-up collars attached. Sizes 8-14. (Downstairs Store.)

600 Men's New $1.50 Bro'dcloth PAJAMAS
Coat and Middy Styles $1.00
A brand-new selection of men's better broadcloth Pajamas — variety of good-looking striped patterns with contrasting trims—of course, all are fast color. Round or V neck and notch collar styles. Sizes A to D. (Downstairs Store.)

Wom.'s 79c Sheer Full-Fashioned SILK HOSE
Smartest Shades 50c
Easy to choose—always pleases — such lovely, clear, sheer Hose you'll choose for yourself as well. Every pair full-fashioned — have high spliced, double heels and good wearing soles. Sizes 8½ to 10. Slight irregulars. (Downstairs Store.)

Men's $5.95 Sheep Lined JACKETS
Thursday Only $3.99
Real gifts for men who work or play outdoors—tan suede cloths, rainproofed — have thick, warm sheep wool lining—large beaver collar. Cossack style with full zipper closing; regular sizes. Don't miss them! (Downstairs Store.)

16x30-In. Cotton Oriental-Type THROW RUGS
Our Own Importation 69c
Grand reproductions of handsome Persian and Chinese designs—patterns woven through the back—finished with fringed ends.

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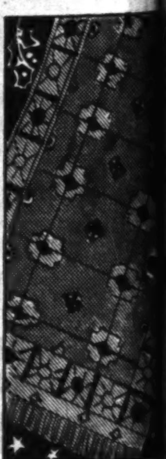
| 4x6-foot | $4.49 |



Women's-Girls' Gift Slippers
Reg. $1.19 to $1.29 Grades 99c
Leatherettes, Satins, Felts, Cotton Velveteens
High cut D'Orsays with hand-turned leather soles . . . velveteens with marbou trims . . . striped Sandals with leather soles . . . Brocaded Satin D'Orsays with high front and open toes . . . high front Velveteen D'Orsays—sizes 3½ to 9.

350 Pair Men's Leather-Sole SLIPPERS
Opera Style
Sizes 6 to 11 $1.00
An ideal gift for the male members at a true thrift price. Wine, blue or red leatherettes with black quarters. All have leather soles and rubber heels.

While 200 Last! $1.98 Filet Lace Cloths
$1.29
Large dining-room table size, 68x88-inch. All in the desired cream color—with decorative center and border pattern. They'll go in a hurry at this extraordinary low price, don't delay—select early! (Downstairs Store.)

Only 300 Sets $1.95 Extra Wide RUFFLED CURTAINS
Ecru or Ivory $1.59 SET
Lovely Sheer Curtains—96 in. overall—each side 48 in. Made of fine quality marquisette with self woven pin or medium size dots. Finished with deep, self ruffles. (Downstairs Store.)

While 100 Pr. Last! Large 50% Wool DOUBLE BLANKETS
Slight Irregs. $6.98 $4.88 PR.
Soft and warm—in the large 72x84-inch size. Choose them in rose, blue, green, orchid or yellow plaids with lustrous rayon bindings to match. Don't miss these savings.

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Just the gift for her. No woman can have too many Compacts. 1.39

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| Men's Fitted Cases | 1.19 to 3.19 |
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| Noculars for Purse or Pocket | 98c |
| Makeup Mirrors | 1.19 |
| Ice Crushers | 1.49 |
| Personal Secretary Lunch Kit | 1.98 |
| Cameras | 1.00 to 13.50 |
| Lapel Watches | 1.39 |
| Eveready Razor and Shaving Cream | 29c |
| Fountain Pens | 1.00 to 5.00 |
| Cara Nome Compacts, | 1.00 to 3.75 |
| Umbrellas | 1.19 and 1.79 |
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### LUNCHEON SPECIAL
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Roast Young Turkey — Celery Dressing
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Garden Peas — Candied Yams
Hot Tea — Biscuit — Any 5c Drink

### COMPLETE DINNER
Choice of Cocktail or Soup
Meat Entree
Potatoes Salad Vegetables Dessert
Hot Tea Biscuits and Coffee or Hot Tea
**50c**

### Porcelain "DRIP" COFFEE MAKER
The ideal gift—a charming Breakfast Set of China. For the appreciated gift. **1.95**

## AMBASSADOR SODA GRILL
On the Mezzanine Floor are some of the finest shoppers suggestions in St. Louis. Whether you stop for just an afternoon tid-bit or a complete luncheon you'll find tasty, well-cooked food. If you want to spend an hour or two, you'll find a most tasty array of delicious sodas, sundaes and other fountain delicacies. These, with the luxurious new furnishings of modern leather chairs, spacious booths, Venetian blinds, soft lights, will make your refreshments at the Ambassador Soda Grill complete.

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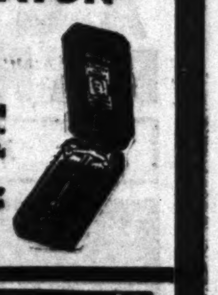
| ★ Cream Cheese, on Date Nut Bread, Fresh Fruit Cup Tea or Coffee | 25c |
| ★ Barbecue Chicken on Toasted Roll, Chow Chow, Cup Hot Chocolate | 25c |
| Cup of Soup, Ham Salad on Toast, Tea or Coffee | 25c |
| ★ Frozen Fruit Salad, Raisin Toast, Cup Delicious Hot Chocolate | 30c |

### ELECTRIC CORN POPPER
WITH CAN OF CORN FREE **98c**

### GEM MICROMATIC RAZOR
Chrome-plated with 5 Gem Blades, plus 2 free trial Blades in washable case.
Special **69c**



### GILLETTE SHERATON ONE PIECE RAZOR
and five Gillette Blue Blades in an attractive leather case.
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A Gift That is Always Welcome at Xmas Time
Cascade and Lord Baltimore Stationery
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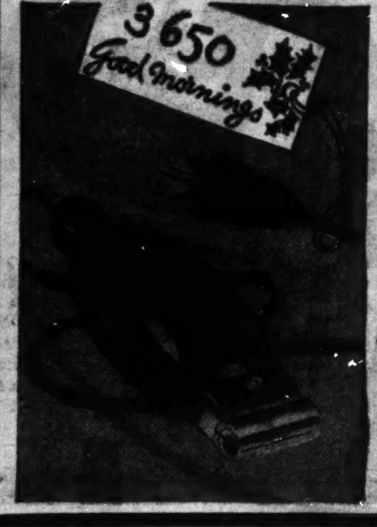

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A. C. or D. C.

### GIVE HIM A SCHICK RAZOR
NO BLADES—NO LATHER
A Schick Dry Shaver will last him for years. A constant memento of your thoughtfulness. No blades or creams or lotions to buy. Schick means priceless shaving. It also means a clean, close shave without irritation, no matter how tender the skin or tough the beard. A.C. or D.C.
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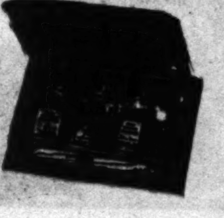

Smart streamlined Bakelite Set in red, black or brown. Complete with three Cutex preparations, emery board, orange stick, file and cotton. **89c.**

**1.89** Genuine leather Traveling Set in black, pig grain or blue. Contains three Cutex preparations, emery boards, file, orange stick, nail white pencil, tricky nail rest and cotton.

### For Her PERFUMES

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| Guerlain Shalimar | 10.00 |
| Guerlain L'Heure Bleue | 6.50 to 19.00 |
| Houbigant Ideal | 1.00 to 5.00 |
| Houbigant Quelques Fleur | 1.00 to 8.25 |
| Caron Bellodgia | 9.69 to 17.33 |
| Caron Nuit de Noel | 17.33 |
| Coty Perfumes | 1.00 to 8.00 |
| Evening Paris Perfume, | 55c to 5.50 |
| Lentheric Miracle or Tweed | 1.25 to 7.00 |
| Guerlain's Shalimar Eau de Cologne | 3.00 |
| Corday Toujours Moi | 9.25 |
| Langlois Cara Nome | 1.00 to 4.00 |

### ELECTRICAL

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| Moderne Toaster | 98c |
| Moderne Heater | 1.19 |
| Moderne Therapeutic Lamp | 1.98 |
| Moderne Whipper | 1.59 |
| Moderne Heating Pad | 1.98 |
| Moderne Hair Dryer | 2.19 |
| Moderne Stove | 98c |
| Moderne Iron | 1.19 |
| Moderne Vibrator | 1.19 |
| Moderne Sandwich Toaster | 1.69 |
| Moderne Curling Iron | 98c |
| Moderne Toaster | 1.98 |
| Moderne Infra Red Ray Lamp | 3.95 |
| Moderne Vaporizer | 1.98 |
| Moderne 3-Heat Stove | 3.98 |
| Moderne Portable Grill | 1.98 |
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### CARA NOME COMBINATION
SUMPTUOUS—That's the word for this Cara Nome Combination of rouge, lipstick, talcum, powder and perfume. Packed in a satin-lined box. A real gift for a close friend, wife, or mother. **5.00**

### CARA NOME FACE POWDER and LOOSE POWDER CASE
Here's a gift—a box of famous $2 Cara Nome Face Powder and Compact—in a Christmas box. **3.00**

### BEAUTIFUL COMBINATION OF ADRIENNE
HARMONIZED COSMETICS — FACE POWDER
TALCUM — ROUGE — LIPSTICK
Stunning, smart, chic, Adrienne Cosmetics . . . prize winners for beauty . . . popular winners for loveliness. A girl's heart just naturally beats faster when she receives a gift like this. **2.00**

### CARA NOME VANETTE
Consists of Double Compact with loose powder compartment radiance rouge and radiance lipstick. . . . 2.75

### CARA NOME PERFUME
¼ ounce with atomizer. . . . 1.25

### MEN'S COMBINATION SET
Rexall Shaving Lotion, Briten Tooth Paste, Klenzo Shaving Cream and Gents' Talcum. . . . 99c

### CARA NOME EAU DE COLOGNE
with Atomizer. . . . 1.75

### LIQUORS

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| White Horse Scotch, Fifth | 3.29 |
| Old Taylor, Bonded, Pint | 2.49 |
| Rocky Ridge Bourbon, Quart | 98c |
| Schenley's Red Label, Pint | 1.09 |
| Liggett's Royal Club, 17 years old—Pint | 1.89 |
| Golden Wedding Blend Pint | 1.39 |
| Old Club, Quart 90-Proof—18 Mos. Old | 1.17 |
| Four Roses, Pint Every Drop 3 Years or Better—90 Proof. | 1.59 |
| O. F. C. Blend, Pint All Whiskey | 1.39 |
| O. F. C. Blend, Quart All Whiskey | 2.70 |
| Old Governor, Pint 2 Yrs. Old—100 Proof. | 1.00 |
| Old Governor, Quart 2 Yrs. Old—100 Proof. | 1.95 |
| Blue Ribbon 17 Yr. Bonded 3 Pts. | 10.00 |
| Old Overholt Str. Rye Bonded. Pint | 1.59 |
| Walker De Luxe 2-Yr. Old Straight Bourbon, Pint | 2.02 |
| Old Grand-Dad Bonded. Pint | 2.49 |
| Martini & Rossi Vermouth Dry or Sweet. Fifth | 1.19 |

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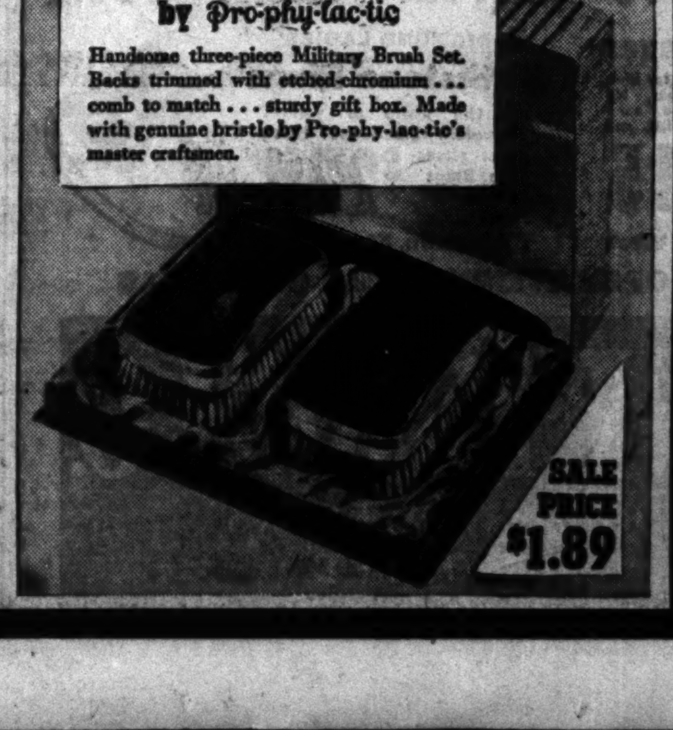

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# DARTMOUTH PRESIDENT ON REPUBLICAN POLICY

### Says Party Needs Reforming on Platform of Advanced Social Objectives.

By the Associated Press.

HANOVER, N. H., Dec. 22.—Ernest Martin Hopkins, president of Dartmouth College, said yesterday "the Republican party needs reforming on a platform committed to the realization of advanced social objectives."

Commenting in an interview on the recent formation of the Republican "policy forming committee," he contended Republicanism had "failed the ideals of its inception as a truly liberal party."

Dr. Hopkins supported Alf M. Landon in the 1936 presidential election. He was among those considered for the chairmanship of the policy committee. That position, he said, is "a vitally important executive post" and should be "on a full time basis."

"I should doubt the ability of any man adequately to meet its responsibilities otherwise," he said.

"A new platform for Republicanism which would meet the stringent requirements of the times is greatly needed. It should be combined with an efficiency of administration which would guarantee some permanency of support.

"I believe the personnel of the Democratic administration at present is third or fourth rate. It is exhausting the resources of the country.

"The Republican party must gather efficient men to itself."

Hopkins termed "worthy of consideration" the suggestion of Gov. George D. Aiken of Vermont that the Republican National Committee be "purged" of "the baneful influence of Southern committeemen."

"However," he concluded, "I could not say whether his opinions are worthy of adoption without greater knowledge of the facts."

### 27 More Accepted Places on Party Program Committee.

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22. — The Republican National Committee announced yesterday that 27 more persons had accepted membership on the party's program committee. Acceptances now total 157.

Members announced yesterday included:

Illinois—Thomas J. Downs, Chicago, president of the State Young Republicans; Mrs. Frank Hixon, Lake Forest, member of the board of directors of the Illinois League of Women Voters; Edward L. Ryerson, Chicago, industrialist.

Indiana—Miss Mary Sleeth, Rushville, librarian; Fred Miller, editor of the South Bend Tribune; Harry G. Hogan, Fort Wayne, president of the Dime Savings Bank; Benjamin Douglas, Nashville, fruit grower; Mrs. E. C. Atkins, Indianapolis, Young Republican leader.

Kentucky—Charles I. Dawson, Louisville, former Federal District Judge.

Michigan — Frank Januszenski, Detroit, editor of Polish News.

Minnesota—Frederick E. Murphy, Minneapolis, publisher of the Minneapolis Tribune; Mrs. Margaret Culkin Banning, Duluth, author and social worker; W. S. Moscrip, Lake Elmo, president of the Twin City Milk Producers' Association; Donald J. Cowling, Northfield, president of Carleton College; Frederick H. Stinchfield, Minneapolis, former president of the American Bar Association.

New Jersey—Harold Willis Dodds, president of Princeton University; H. Alexander Smith, Princeton, director of the Foreign Policy Association; Mrs. Lewis S. Thompson, Redbank, member of the Board of State Institutions and Agencies.

Pennsylvania—Mrs. Helen Schluraff, Erie, florist, county commissioner; Henning Webb Prentis Jr., Lancaster, president of Armstrong Cork Co.; Mrs. George R. Hemphill, Beaver Falls, former president of Pennsylvania Council of Republican Women.

Utah—J. Reuben Clark Jr., Salt Lake City, former Ambassador to Mexico.

Wisconsin—William A. Ganfield, Waukesha, president of Carroll College; Asher Hobson, Madison, head of the department of agricultural economics of the University of Wisconsin.

# ADDITIONAL 7 PCT. PAYMENT ON MORTGAGE CERTIFICATES

### Circuit Court Authorizes $30,194 Distribution by Mound City Trust Co., Liquidator.

An additional payment of 7 per cent to holders of $431,348 in first mortgage participation certificates, issued in 1928 with the Mound City Trust Co. as trustee and then permitted to go into default, was authorized yesterday by Circuit Judge Charles B. Williams.

The payment, amounting to $30,194, will bring the total paid so far to 60 per cent. The Mound City Trust Co. was appointed trustee to liquidate the assets behind the certificates after Henry W. Weisheyer, holder of about $9000 in certificates, sued the bank for an accounting in 1934, alleging that interest had been defaulted.

At that time it was said at the bank that it was under no direct liability to pay the certificates as it was merely agent in the transactions which were handled through the real estate department.

### Named Assistant Attorney-General.

JEFFERSON CITY, Dec. 22. — Harry Kay of Eldon was named yesterday by Attorney-General McKittrick as an assistant in his department.

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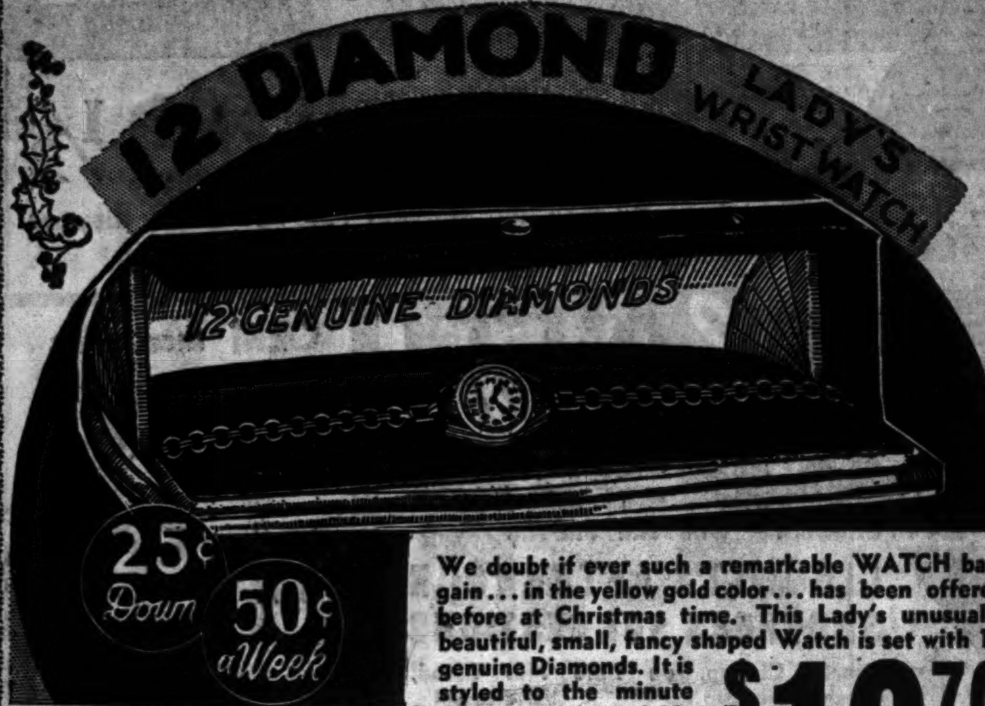

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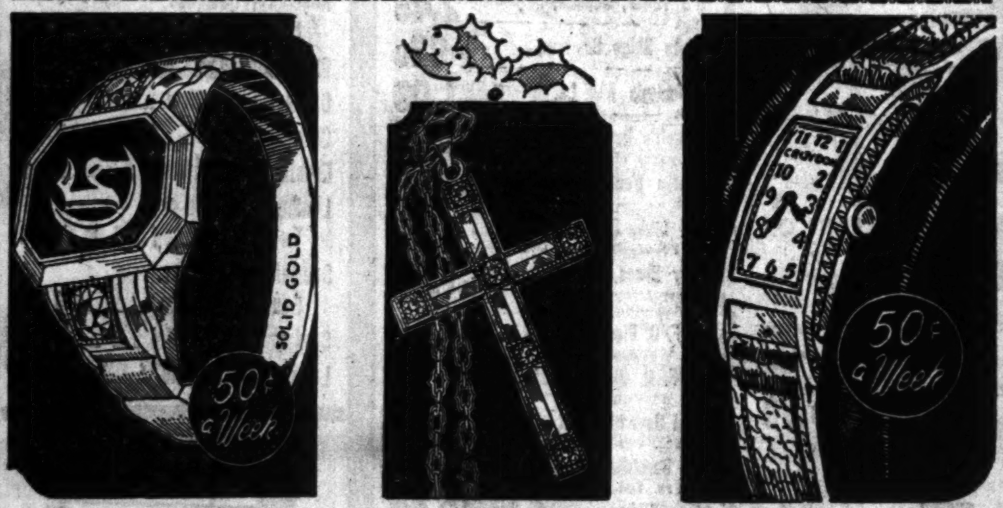

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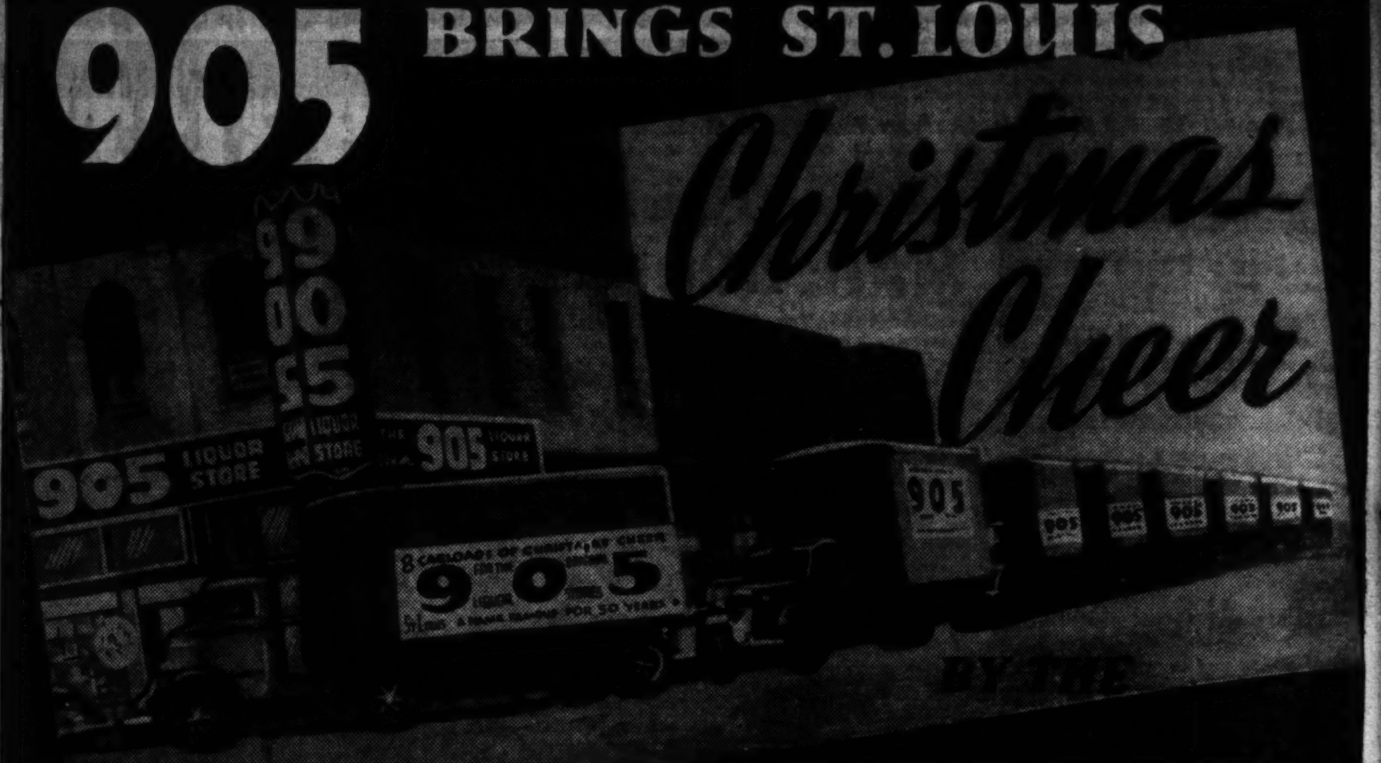

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## MAN NAMED IN CONFESSIONS SOUGHT AS MURDERER OF TWO

### Suspect Implicated by Companions in Two Killings at Pittsburgh in 1929.

By the Associated Press.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Dec. 22.—Chief of County Detectives Peter A. Connors started a search yesterday for a man he said was named as the murderer of two Pittsburgh men in 1929 in signed confessions of Tony Romansky, a convict, and John Misker of Detroit.

Connors filed a John Doe information before Alderman Andrew Maloney, and the grand jury returned an indictment charging the unnamed fugitive with the murder of David J. Sturtz and Patrick Craig.

The grand jury based its action on the confessions of the two men, who admitted being along during the commission of the crimes. Connors said Mikser told him the unnamed man forced Craig, who had picked the three up on the highway, to drive his automobile to a remote woods. There, Mikser said, the fugitive shot Craig and took about $75 from his pockets.

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## STIMSON OPPOSES AMENDMENT FOR WAR REFERENDUM

### Former Secretary of State Says Proposal Ignores Power and Speed of Attack.

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 22.—Henry L. Stimson, former Secretary of State, expressed concern last night over the success of a House petition forcing consideration in January of the Ludlow resolution to require a popular referendum before a foreign war could be declared.

The proposal, if adopted, "would not only revolutionize and destroy our existing plan for national defense," he said in a letter to the editor of the New York Times, but would "make any system of national defense much less effective if not almost impossible."

He said the resolution, proposing a constitutional amendment requiring a majority vote of the people before war could be declared except in event of an actual invasion, "entirely ignores the power and speed of modern air and naval attack as well as the fragility of our modern urban construction and economic organization."

But "the basic vice and poison of the Ludlow proposal," Stimson wrote, is that "it would set in motion a long process of deterioration and decay" and "the destructive effect would be felt long before the moment of action."

**"Indicative of Weakness."**

Observing that the necessary signatures have been obtained in the House to force the resolution out of committee, the former member of the Hoover Cabinet said:

"The mere bringing of it forward cannot but seriously affect our national position in the world today. It may be regarded among our neighbor nations as indicating weakness of national policy and behavior at a time when stability and steadfastness are preeminently required."

The two "lines of national defense" which he said would be destroyed were:

1. Diplomatic—"Drawn by the warnings of our Presidents to other nations that if they got too close to us they would be unwelcome . . . necessarily backed by the implication of force." These "could be safely disregarded by venturesome Powers," he said under a measure which prevented war except in event of "an actual physical invasion."

2. The American Navy—which with co-operation of the air force, he said, is in "constant readiness" for the chief purpose of keeping "all enemies at a safe distance from our shores."

Stimson said the proposed amendment would destroy "the terrific and sobering sense of responsibility which now rests upon the President when he makes his recommendation of war.

"In its place the President would be forced to consider the arts and machinations of the political leader and the methods necessary to a high pressure mass appeal," and the people "would be distracted by the lower appeals and cross-currents put forward by every kind of selfish leader or faction for every conceivable political purpose.

**Affect on National Unity.**

"No more effective engine for the disruption of national unity on the threshold of a national crisis could ingeniously have been devised. On the most charitable supposition it could only have been brought forward in an atmosphere of complete detachment from the realities of the modern outside world and from experience with the necessities of a successful national defense."

Stimson said that no national referendum ever has been held on any such subject and said now "is not the time for the exhibition of untried panaceas or any other evidence of instability of purpose."

Stimson, author of the note rebuking Japan for its invasion of Manchuria when he was in the Cabinet, stated Panama, Hawaii and Alaska were "supporting points" of a Western national defense line "more than 2000 miles from the mainland."

He referred to the "profound and disturbing" world unsettlement.

He made no specific reference to any nation but said a few were showing "a spirit of violence and disregard for treaty obligations" and warned that they are powerful."

**Historic Power of President.**

He stressed the historic power of the President to make, by recommenation to Congress, "the final fatal decision as to whether the time has come when immediate forceful action is the only way to preserve the nation against a much greater danger later on."

With the basic considerations of war, he said, "the general public in any nation is necessarily unacquainted and nowhere more so than in our own country, buried in its time-honored confidence in its own seclusion."

Publication of the Stimson letter followed the exchange of notes between President Roosevelt and Alf M. Landon, Republican presidential nominee last year, in which Landon indorsed the President's opposition to the war referendum amendment.

**Vandenberg Calls War Referendum Bill "Maximum Hazard."**

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22.—Senator Vandenberg (Rep.), Michigan, said today he agreed with former Gov. Alf M. Landon that "politics stop at the water's edge," but said he hoped also that "other people's wars will stop at our water's edge." He made the statement in announcing his opposition to the Ludlow proposal to require a popular vote to declare war.

Commenting on Landon's telegram pledging co-operation with President Roosevelt's foreign policies, Vandenberg challenged "any implication that it is wrong for the country to indulge in a frank discussion of foreign policies."

Vandenberg, a proponent of mandatory neutrality, said he agreed that America did not want "peace at any price." Any foreigners who think otherwise, he said, would be "dreadfully disillusioned."

He said the Ludlow plan would "put us at maximum hazard" by permitting an enemy nation to start hostilities while America's hands were tied.

Senator Capper differed openly with Landon, his fellow Kansan. "I want no controversy with Gov. Landon," he said, "but I think the people who pay the bills and do the fighting have something to say about entering a war."

Capper has introduced in the Senate a constitutional amendment similar to the one introduced in the House by Ludlow.

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# ELECTRIC POWER PRODUCTION 3.3 PER CENT UNDER YEAR AGO

### Increase of Three-Tenths of 1 Per Cent Over Preceding Week.

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 22. — Electric power production in the United States in the week ended December 18 totaled 2,202,200,000 kilowatt hours, an increase of three-tenths of 1 per cent over the 2,196,105,000 for the preceding week, but a drop of 3.3 per cent under the 2,278,303,000 for the like 1936 week, the Edison Electric Institute reported today.

The increase over the preceding week was less than normally expected at this time, so the Associated Press electric power production index, with 1929-30 taken as 100, declined to 112.5 from 113.1 a week earlier and 118.5 a year ago.

The range for recent years follows:

| | 1937 | 1936 | 1935 | 1934 | 1933 |
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| High. | 125.2 | 119.8 | 105.5 | 97.4 | 91.9 |
| Low | 111.8 | 102.0 | 94.1 | 91.9 | 80.2 |

The institute reported the following percentage changes from a year ago according to major geographic areas; decreases: New England, 7.8; Central industrial, 6.8; West central, 1.0; Southern states, 1.0. Advances: Middle Atlantic, 0.4; Rocky Mountain, 2.5; Pacific Coast, 0.1.

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# ALTON SLOT MACHINES ARE ORDERED SEIZED

### Police Chief Issues Instructions With Full Support of Mayor.

An order to seize slot machines and "any evidence of gambling" was issued last night by Chief of Police Paul Smith of Alton after the return of Mayor Leo Struif from a hunting trip to the Mexican border.

The Mayor said he conferred with Chief Smith yesterday afternoon and that, while the chief issued the order on his own authority," it has my full support."

The order was given to policemen through Capt. Joseph Uhle when shifts changed at 6 o'clock. Chief Smith explained to a reporter that the order applied not only to slot machines but to "pinball games, punchboards and all forms of gambling." Seizure was ordered, he said, as evidence for prosecution under a city ordinance providing fines of $10 to $200 for possession of a gambling device.

Heretofore, the Chief said, policemen have been under orders to stay out of saloons, and that "was possibly why they haven't seen slot machines operating, if there have been many in operation."

Chief Smith added that under Attorney-General Otto Kerner's interpretation of Illinois law, warrants are not required to seize slot machines operating openly in public places.

The Mayor supplemented the police order by saying: "I'll bet you can't find anything any place in town now. If we find any slot machines we will bust them just like that woman did."

The reference was to Mrs. Irene Kite, who on Saturday night smashed 14 slot machines in seven barrooms with a handax. Mrs. Kite complained that her husband, Dan Kite, a gambler, had been "put out of business."

Word of the order spread rapidly in barrooms and smoke shops where machines have been locked in their cases since Mrs. Kite's foray. No considerable activity to remove them from premises was noted a few hours after the order. A reporter met a patrolman who said he was informing proprietors on a list which he had so they could "fold up."

# UNITED FRUIT SUES U. S. OVER MAIL CONTRACT CANCELATION

### Company May Not Press $10,000,000 Action as Negotiations Are Still Going On.

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22.—The Unitd Fruit Co. filed a $10,000,000 damage suit against the Government yesterday because of the cancellation of ocean mail contracts by the maritime commission early this year.

Under the law the company had until Jan. 1 to file the suit in the Court of Claims here. There is a possibility it may not press the action, however. It declared in an announcement that "the filing of the suit should not prevent the continuance of negotiations between the company and the Maritime Commission looking towards an amicable settlement of the dispute."

Ocean mail contracts under which the Government indirectly subsidized the merchant marine were canceled when the newly-created Maritime Commission undertook its present program of direct operating and construction subsidies. Mail contract payments were halted Feb. 1 and the contracts were formally canceled July 1.

# AUTO DEALERS ASSOCIATION ON FORD WINDMILL DISPUTE

### Had No Intent to Charge Coercion by Motor Company, It Says in Statement.

By the Associated Press.

DETROIT, Dec. 22.—A. N. Benson, general manager of the National Automobile Dealers' Association, said yesterday that the association had no intent at a Washington hearing last week to charge "force or coercion" by the Ford Motor Co. in connection with dealers' purchase of a Cape Cod windmill as a gift to Henry Ford.

Relating that the hearing was held by a subcommittee of the House Interstate Commerce Committee, Benson in a statement said:

"Among the letters read into the record was one from a Ford dealer who listed many complaints, among them an objection to the methods employed to secure contributions toward the Cape Cod windmill. It was not the intention of the National Automobile Dealers' Association in any way to criticise the splendid motives which prompted this gift to Mr. Ford."

### Chinese Thanked for Panay Aid.

HANKOW, China, Dec. 22.—United States Ambassador Nelson T. Johnson expressed warm thanks yesterday in behalf of the State Department to the Chinese Government for aid rendered survivors of the Japanese attack on the United States gunboat Panay, Dec. 12. Chinese Magistrates at Hohsien and Hanshan provided shelter, food and medical supplies for the American refugees despite air raids and heavy fighting going on when they reached those two cities.

### Actress Is Cited for Contempt.

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 22.—After her former husband, Frank Fay, testified yesterday that the only access he has to their 5-year-old adopted son is by telephone calls, Judge Goodwin Knight ordered Barbara Stanwyck, movie actress, to appear in court next Tuesday to show cause why she should not be adjudged in contempt of court for violating a divorce settlement.

# ANNUAL PROGRAMS OF CAROLERS BEGIN

### More Than 50 Groups Will Sing Downtown Tomorrow and Friday.

The annual program of Christmas carol singing sponsored by the St. Louis Christmas Carols Association, began today with the boys' choir of St. Mary Magdalen Church entertaining holiday travelers in the Union Station concourse and waiting room, and with the choral organization of Southwestern Bell Telephone Co. representing the association in its regular holiday visit to the Mayor's office in City Hall.

More than 50 groups, organized by the association, will present special programs tomorrow and Friday in downtown hotels, department stores and restaurants. The groups comprise about 1000 singers from school glee clubs, church choirs and singing societies, who will be dressed in red and green smocks, the official caroling costume.

### 1000 Groups to Sing.

On Christmas eve about 1000 groups, representing more than 18,000 carolers, will visit residential districts in the city and county. Contributions received by the groups will be used to aid underprivileged children of all creeds. The association's activities will be concluded Christmas day with a group of singers from Visitation Academy participating in the program of entertainment to be presented in connection with the Mayor's Christmas dinner for the poor at Municipal Auditorium.

In addition to supervising the dinner, Mayor Dickmann will spend part of Christmas day visiting public and private institutions in the city to distribute toys and candy to children. He will be accompanied by Chief of Police John H. Glassco and Fire Chief John J. O'Boyle. Candy and toys also will be given to children attending the dinner at the Auditorium.

More than 50,000 persons are expected to attend the Mayor's dinner, which will begin at 9 a. m. Persons will be admitted to the Auditorium up to 6 p. m. The Public Service Co. will provide free transportation to and from the Auditorium for the diners, and city employes will prepare and serve the food in relays.

### Many Holiday Parties.

Many organizations will hold holiday parties, and churches in the city and county have arranged special services for Christmas day. The Salvation Army will give a series of parties for more than 5000 underprivileged children, beginning tonight and continuing through Tuesday. The agency will supervise also the distribution of 1000 Christmas baskets of food to needy families.

A Christmas party for 229 children of less than 5 years of age, who have been under the care of the clinic of Kingdom House, a United Charities settlement, 1102 Morrison avenue, will be held tomorrow at 10 a. m. Toys, furnished by the Girl Scouts and church organizations, and candy will be distributed. Other holiday activities for older children, young persons and the women's group will be held later.

A union service, sponsored by the Ministers' Association of Carondelet and vicinity, will be held at 10 a. m. Christmas day at Haven Street Methodist Church, Virginia avenue and Haven street. The Rev. Clark Walker Cummings, executive secretary of the Metropolitan Church Federation, will give the sermon. The offering will be used for the relief of war refugees and sufferers.

As an unusual feature of Christmas day activities, four trumpeters will play Christmas hymns from the belfry of Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church, Twenty-first and Benton streets, beginning at 5:45 o'clock in the morning. The trumpeters are L. W. Sieck, E. H. Thuernau, Ralph Rosebrock and William F. Drees Jr.

Members of the St. Louis Public School Patrons' Alliance today distributed gifts of clothing, toys and candy to 1150 children enrolled in the open air and other special public schools.

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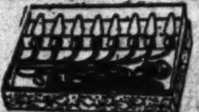

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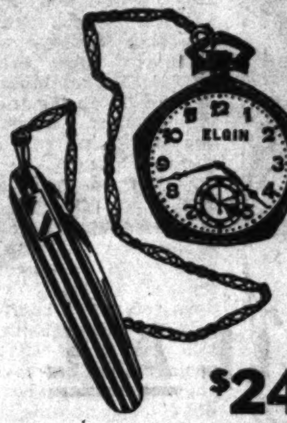

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# ROOSEVELT URGED TO SET UP SINGLE CONSERVATION BUREAU

### Leaders of Wild Life Organizations Tell Him Existing Agencies are Disorganized.

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22. — A group of conservation authorities urged on President Roosevelt yesterday the creation of a single Government department for conservation affairs.

The party, which spent more than half an hour with the President, was composed of Richard Lieber of Indianapolis, president of the National Conference of State Parks; Tom Wallace, editor of the Louisville (Ky.) Times, and member of the board of directors of the Izaak Walton League; Horace Albright of New York City, vice-president and general manager of the United States Potash Co., and Walter T. Fisher of Chicago.

The callers, describing their conference with the President as "very interesting and satisfactory," said they had two principal objections in mind: to guard natural resources and bringing about greater harmony, order, efficiency and economy in government.

Asserting that existing "disorganization" in Federal conservation work is defeating the purposes for which the work was undertaken, the group said in a statement on leaving the White House that "as long as conservation agencies are farmed out like so many orphans, scattered throughout the Government departments, they will either be neglected as orphans or be subject to the demoralizing rivalries and jealousies of their various guardians."

### Kills Self With Auto Fumes.

By the Associated Press.

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., Dec. 22.—Fred L. Morgan, 54-year-old electric shop owner here, was found dead of carbon monoxide fumes in his car at a tourist camp near here late last night. "I love you too much, and there's no money to buy Christmas presents," he wrote in a note to his wife.

### Girl Born to Mrs. Henry Fonda.

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 22.—Mrs. Henry Fonda, wife of the movie actor, gave birth today to a son. A Caesarian operation was performed. Mrs. Fonda is the former Frances Seymour Brokaw.

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# SCHOOL TAX ELECTION CHANGED TO APRIL 5

### No Change Made by Board of Education in Rate to Be Submitted.

The date of the quadrennial school tax election was changed from Feb. 15 to April 5 by unanimous vote of the Board of Education yesterday, in response to a request of the Election Board, which held it could not complete the records of the new system of permanent registration of voters in time for the earlier date.

No change was made in the tax rate to be submitted—85 cents on the $100 valuation, the same limit authorized for the last 17 years. The city administration has been urging a reduction to 75 cents, which would cost the school board more than $1,000,000 a year in income. This question was not mentioned in the board meeting yesterday, as the members have become convinced the 85-cent rate would barely suffice for school needs.

The meeting was called primarily to act on the office of Supply Commissioner. The four-year term of Charles Lee Barr expired this month. Absence of one member caused postponement of the election last week. With all members present yesterday, another delay, to Jan. 11, was voted unanimously, after an hour's executive session.

**Asks for Straw Vote.**

President Edward A. Ferrenbach said to reporters that some members wanted more time to inquire about the commissioner's work. He said he had wanted a straw vote to determine how many members favored Barr's re-election, but did not get it.

Asked what took place in the executive session, he said the members "talked in general" and discussed the annual coal contracts awarded by the board last spring on Barr's recommendation. Other members, declining to tell what was said, told of an agreement that Ferrenbach was to be the spokesman. Barr, the other executive officers and even the board's stenographers were excluded from the meeting, although they usually attend executive sessions.

Dr. David C. Todd made the motion for the private session, seconded by John J. Sheahan. Afterwards, in open meeting, Arthur A. Blumeyer offered the motion for delay.

It was learned that much of the discussion was over the question of whether to act on the office at once, and whether the position was created by statute or board rule. It is not statutory. There were comments, both favorable and unfavorable, as to details of Barr's handling of his department. No other candidate has been proposed for the place and no charge has been made against Barr, who has worked in the Supply Department since 1903 and was assistant commissioner before being promoted in 1933. He continues in office automatically during the delay. His annual salary is $7500. There have been indications that a majority of members favored Barr's retention.

**Coal Contracts an Issue.**

Mark D. Eagleton, board member, has objected to Barr's stand on the coal contracts. There have been reports of minor criticisms of the commissioner, but members have refused to confirm them and have been unusually reluctant to talk about the situation. The commissioner has charge of buying supplies, costing about $600,000 annually; distributing them among the schools, operating school lunchrooms, and conducting a book bindery and miscellaneous functions.

Board members were urged, in a memorandum submitted by Mrs. Haymer Lowenhaupt, to meet more often in committee of the whole for general discussion of board business. She pointed out that the only such meetings of all members have been held briefly at the private dinner of the board at a downtown hotel preceding the monthly public meeting, and that important matters were likely to be rushed through then without due consideration.

In the board's four standing committees of three members each it was often difficult to obtain a quorum and frequently recommendations were made by two members of a committee with other board members unaware of the discussions on which they were based, she said. The board has 12 members.

It was a modern tendency, she said, to have a board of only five or seven members with few or no standing committees, but with the board meeting in committee of the whole. Under this method, she declared, a superintendent was responsible for the entire system, and the various commissioners, such as those in charge of building and supplies, reported through him. In St. Louis, executive officers of the board report independently, their offices, except that of supply commissioner, being created by statute.

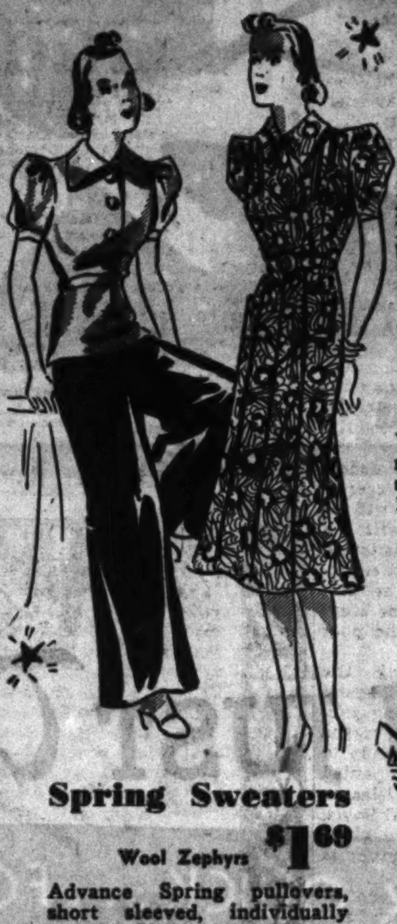
# OKLAHOMA HIGHWAY PLAN UPSET BY COURT DECISION

### Supreme Tribunal Says Tax-Anticipation Law Violates Constitutional Debt Limitation.

By the Associated Press.

OKLAHOMA CITY, Ok., Dec. 22.—The $35,000,000 road building plan of the Oklahoma Highway Commission was upset yesterday by a State Supreme Court ruling invalidating proposed gasoline tax-anticipation notes which would have financed it.

The court held a recent act violated a constitutional debt limitation of $400,000. The law set aside 40 per cent of the three-cent-a-gallon receipts for retirement of notes issued under the $35,000,000 program.



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Men's Lined or Unlined Plain or Pig-texed Gloves — — $1
Men's Imported Capeskin Gloves in Black or Brown — $1.98
Men's $2.50 Pigskin or Unlined Capeskin Gloves — — $1.69
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Men's Coat Style "Utica" Sweaters with Button Fronts, $1.49
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# PUPILS ASK SENATOR TO URGE BIG OAK PARK

### Request Clark to Petition Congress to Make Area National Preserve.

Pupils in Beaumont High School geography classes have sent letters to Senator Bennett C. Clark of Missouri, urging him to petition the Government to acquire land around the Big Oak in Mississippi County and make it into a national park or United States forest reservation.

The present plan, which members of Gov. Stark's Big Oak Commission expect to complete soon, is to acquire title to 1000 acres around the tree, the largest oak in Missouri, by gift of individuals and purchase by private subscription, and present the tract to the State for a State park.

All but 80 acres immediately around the tree will be cut-over land, donors retaining the right to remove all marketable timber. The Beaumont school pupils, however, are urging that the Government step in and acquire title to more virgin timber before the standing growth of large trees can be removed.

One of the letters, made public by H. G. Simpson, secretary of the commission, reads in part: "I am writing you this letter in the hope that you will take notice of a good suggestion about saving the Big Oak of Mississippi County, stressed in our geography class.

"The suggestion is that the Big Oak and the trees in its vicinity be included in a national park. This must be done, however, before these trees are cut down, for after all, what beauty would there be in this land if the trees were cut down that surround the Big Oak?

"The Government could buy this land, make it into a national park, thus, not only preserving a place of beauty, but also the last of the hardwood forests in this district. I addressed this letter to you because I thought as you were a representative of Missouri, you would be the best one to bring this up in the Senate."

## TO REPAIR ST. CHARLES BRIDGE

### Kansas City Firm Gets Job on Bid of $389,982.

Award of a contract for repair of the St. Charles bridge across the Missouri River was made yesterday to the Massman Construction Co. of Kansas City by the State Highway Commission on a bid of $389,982.45.

Work will be begun Feb. 1 and will include construction of a pedestrian sidewalk on the south side of the bridge, construction of new approaches, laying of a new floor on the main span, and painting. C. W. Brown, chief engineer of the State Highway Department, said traffic would not be halted by the work. Funds are being supplied by the State and Federal Government.

**Christmas Release for Prisoners.**

By the Associated Press.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Dec. 22.—Gov. Carl Bailey ordered 56 convicts released from the State prison yesterday for Christmas holidays. The majority of the list was made up of long termers, most of them serving murder sentences.

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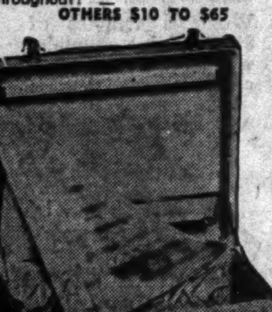

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- ★ **Print Aprons,** in colorful Cottons, 59c, 2 for $1 Notions—Main Floor
- ★ **Elgin Watches,** 7, 15, 19, 21-jewel $19.50-$279.50 Jewelry—Main Floor
- ★ **Surety Hosiery,** 10-thread, Lisle Hem — — — $1.15 Hosiery—Main Floor
- ★ **Silk Slips,** lacy or tailored Satin Royale — — $2.98 Slips—Fifth Floor
- ★ **Replica Pearls** in 1, 2 or 3 strands — — $1-$20 Jewelry—Main Floor
- ★ **Roomy Handbags,** "swagger" leathers, $1.98-$20 Handbags—Main Floor
- ★ **"Music on the Air"** book for radio fans — — $1.79 Books—Main Floor Balcony
- ★ **Satin Gowns,** pure dye silk with much lace — $5.98 Lingerie—Fifth Floor
- ★ **Hankies,** box of 3 embroidered linens — — $1 Handkerchiefs—Main Floor
- ★ **Suede Gloves,** popular slip-on style — — $3.45 Gloves—Main Floor
- ★ **Slippers,** Daniel Green rayon satins — — $4.95 Slipper Shop—Third Floor
- ★ **Beacon Robes,** in wrap style — — — — $2.99 Negligees—Fifth Floor
- ★ **Negligees** of silk satin and lace — — $29.75 Negligees—Fifth Floor
- ★ **Pen Desk Sets,** onyx base, by Eversharp — — $4.95 Fountain Pens—Main Floor

### for YOUNGER WOMEN

- ★ **Pigskin Gloves,** natural or dark shades — — $2.98 Gloves—Main Floor
- ★ **Koret or Lewis Bags,** suede calf, fabrics, $8.50-$50 Handbags—Main Floor
- ★ **$9.90-$21 Perfumes,** by Coty, $4.95-$10.95 Toiletries—Main Floor
- ★ **Slippers,** rich rayon velvet Scuffs — $1.98-$2.45 Slipper Shop—Third Floor
- ★ **Housecoats,** zip; Celanese* Rayon Satin, $3.99 Negligees—Fifth Floor
- ★ **Lounge PJs,** 2-piece cotton corduroys — $5.98 Negligees—Fifth Floor
- ★ **Handmade Slips,** silk satin, crepe — $2.98-$3.98 Slips—Fifth Floor
- ★ **Linen Frocks,** tailored in new prints — — $3.98 Tub Frocks—Fifth Floor
- ★ **Sweaters,** soft and smart zephyr wools — $2.98 Sweater Shop—Fourth Floor
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- ★ **Auto Compasses** in the streamline style — $2.79 Auto Shop—Seventh Floor
- ★ **Bell & Howell** Movie Cameras, 8 mm — $55 Camera Counter—Main Floor
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- ★ **Varsity** Underwear in Matched Sets — $1.00 Second Floor
- ★ **Housecoats** and Smoking Jackets, $6.95 to $17.50 Second Floor
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- ★ **Sewing Baskets,** mending kits — — — 59c-$3.98 Art Needle—Sixth Floor
- ★ **Framed Mirrors,** circle style, plate glass — $7.98 Mirrors—Eighth Floor
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- ★ **Silverplated Holloware,** pitchers, trays, etc. $4.99 Silverware—Main Floor
- ★ **Service Plates** in chest, hand decorated, 8 for $29 China—Seventh Floor
- ★ **Console Set,** rock crystal design — — — — $5.98 Glassware—Seventh Floor
- ★ **Bath Sets,** large towel, 2 wash cloths, boxed, $1.49 Linens—Third Floor
- ★ **Lunch Cloths,** printed linen, 52x52 in., $1.49 Linens—Third Floor
- ★ **Fancy Pillowcases,** per pair — — — — — — $1 Domestics—Third Floor
- ★ **Two-tone Blankets,** 5% wool, 72x84 — — $3.69 Blankets—Third Floor
- ★ **Philco Midget Radios,** 5-tube, AC-DC — $22.50 Radios—Eighth Floor
- ★ **Walnut Tables** in five styles — — — — $8.98 Furniture—Tenth Floor
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### Plane Victims Sue Propeller Firm.

By the Associated Press.

SCRANTON, Pa., Dec. 22. — Ben O. Howard and his wife, Olive, of Chicago, filed suit yesterday in United States District Court asking for $150,000 damages from a propeller manufacturing company for injuries they received when their plane crashed in the 1936 Bendix trans-continental airplane race. Howard said a faulty propeller caused the crash. The propeller, he said, was furnished by the Lycoming Manufacturing Co., of Williamsport, Pa. Both were crippled, the suit alleges.

### Woman, 74, Killed by Train.

By the Associated Press.

VANDALIA, Ill., Dec. 22. — Mrs. Sidney McAdams, 74 years old, was killed by a westbound Pennsylvania train at a crossing four miles west of here late yesterday.

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# STATE STUDYING LACLEDE SURVEY ON NATURAL GAS

## Company Report Says New Fuel Would Effect Little Saving Unless Larger Market Were Developed.

## HEATING OF HOMES CHIEF POSSIBILITY

## Hearings Suspended in 1935 Likely to Be Resumed in January After Data Is Gone Over.

By the Jefferson City Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, Dec. 22. — Engineers of the Missouri Public Service Commission are making a study of a preliminary survey report filed by the Laclede Gas Light Co. of St. Louis in connection with an investigation instituted by the commission early in 1935 of the feasibility of substituting straight natural gas for the mixture of artificial and natural gas now distributed to consumers in St. Louis and St. Louis County.

Hearings in the inquiry, which have been suspended since late in 1935, likely will be resumed in January, it was said today, after the commission engineering staff completes its analysis of data submitted by the Laclede company and prepares its own report to the commission.

Developments of the last two days, including an agreement between the City of St. Louis and the Laclede company concerning the valuation of the company for rate-making purposes, rate of return and as to taxes, apparently leaves the question of future rates and whether straight natural gas shall be distributed in St. Louis as the only major issues between the city and company.

**Agreement Made on Valuation.**

Mayor Dickmann of St. Louis announced on Monday that an agreement had been reached between the city and the company for acceptance of a rate-making valuation of $39,000,000 and a return of 6½ per cent on that valuation, as fixed by the Public Service Commission in 1934 and approved by the Missouri Supreme Court last July; that the company would pay a city franchise tax of 5 per cent on its gross receipts, amounting to about $350,000 a year, which the company has been contesting in the Federal courts, and that the company would refund to customers approximately $926,000, impounded in a Jefferson City bank, which had been collected by the company while contesting a 6 per cent rate reduction ordered by the commission in connection with its 1934 valuation order

The question of future rates fixed by the commission apparently is still unsettled under the agreement, as it was indicated yesterday that negotiations will be opened soon between the city and the Laclede company as to rates.

However, irrespective of whatever agreements may be reached between the city and the company, any matters as to rates, valuation or operating practices of a public utility must be approved by the Public Service Commission before they are binding, under the law and controlling court decisions.

**Commission in Dark on Settlement.**

Members of the commission said today they had no knowledge of the settlement or any attempt to fix gas rates in St. Louis except what they had read in newspaper reports concerning the Mayor's announcement.

The preliminary report filed by the Laclede company with the commission, in four sections, contains a considerable amount of actual data concerning gas operations in St. Louis, production and gas purchase costs, estimates of the cost of a change-over from mixed gas to straight natural gas, and possible markets for increased use of gas. But the report, labeled as "preliminary," contains no declaration of company policy as to a change-over and no definite findings, conclusions or recommendations as to such a change-over.

Nor does the report contain any data as to possible sources of supply of straight natural gas for all consumers, if the company should agree to or the commission order such a change-over. The Laclede company now purchases natural gas from the Mississippi River Fuel Corporation, operators of a natural gas pipe line extending from the Louisiana gas fields to St. Louis, for resale to a limited number of industrial users and for mixing with artificial gas sold to domestic, commercial and other users.

The mixed gas now sold in St. Louis has a heat standard of 800 British thermal units. The natural gas involved in the pending studies has an average heat standard of 950 B. T. U.'s.

**Obsolescence Factor.**

Adopting, for the purpose of the gas study reported, the estimates given by commission experts in earlier hearings, the report states company property valued at $8,295,000 would be eliminated from the $39,000,000 rate-making base if a change-over to straight natural gas was made. This involves property now used in the public service, which would not be required if straight natural gas were distributed in St. Louis.

Under court decisions, the company apparently would be entitled to reimbursement for this elimination of property from its capital account, amortized over a period of years. The report estimated such an amortization, over the usual period of 10 years, would require an annual charge of $1,098,087, including interest.

The expense of altering appliances of customers to permit use of natural gas instead of the mixed gas now distributed was estimated at $923,099. It was estimated such a change-over would require about four months and employment of a special force of more than 800 men. Under the usual practice, it was said, this expense would have to be amortized against operating ex-

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# FLYERS GAIN EARLY LEAD TO DEFEAT MINNEAPOLIS, 4 TO 2

## HANSEN, MATTE, PURPUR, HUDSON GET GOALS FOR ST. LOUIS CLUB

### Victory Is Fourth in Row for MacKinnon's Aggregation — Team Plays Kansas City Next.

By the Associated Press.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Dec. 22.—St. Louis outskated an neffective Minneapolis team last night to win a 4-2 victory in an American Hockey Association game, largely because of Goalie Nelson's ability to halt Miller attempts at scoring. It was the Flyers' fourth consecutive victory.

The Flyers played big league hockey. They made the most of their scoring opportunities, for they had few in comparison to Minneapolis; they were alert on defense and covered in front of their net better than any team seen here in many seasons. Wings checked the Miller charges almost at their blue line and wouldn't let the locals get started. They harassed them, but they couldn't dishearten them, for the Millers came back strong in the second period, after the Flyers counted their third goal.

But the reliable Nelson was giving his customary great exhibition. Pucks were bouncing off his pads and every part of his anatomy. Not until near the close of the conflict did a shot get past him.

**Two Goals for Patterson.**

George Patterson, the league's leading scorer, was well covered most of the game, but scrappy Pat, who kept hounding the disc in the face of tremendous odds, finally found an opening with hard backhanded angle shot while off balance.

Only five minutes remained when Patterson drove home his goal. At 19:07, Patterson counted again, this time a sliding shot going between the surprised Nelson's legs.

The Millers missed Sammy Godin at right wing. Bill Mitchell, defense man, was shifted to the position, but he was out of place. Billy had speed and shot to match his teammates, but the line played raggedly as a combination. Passes went awry because the new trio was not accustomed to the other's game. More than once the line was caught out of position as the Flyers dashed up on counter forays.

**Hansen Starts Scoring.**

Hansen, Flyer center, started the scoring when he rifled in a pass from Jackson in 6:08 in the first period. Matte followed by making good a pass from Hudson in 8:55. Purpur scored unassisted in the second period in :15. Hudson wound up the St. Louis scoring by shooting in a pass from Daly in 7:08 in the third period.

Goalie Nelson was credited with 39 stops, while Wood had a comparatively light evening, halting only 18 tries.

The Flyers' next game will be with the Greyhounds at Kansas City, Saturday night.

### LINEUPS AND SUMMARY

| ST. LOUIS. | Position. | MINNEAPOLIS. |
|---|---|---|
| Nelson | G. | Wood |
| Carbol | D. | Mulligan |
| Matte | D. | Bretto |
| Hansen | C. | Patterson |
| Kendall | W. | Blake |
| Mulvihill | W. | Mitchell |

Referee—Bob Trappe.

Spares: St. Louis—Jackson, Olson, Daly, Hudson, Burns, Purpur. Minneapolis—Smith, Schultz, Breckheimer, Farrant, Siderman.

First period scoring—Hansen (Jackson), 6:08; Matte (Hudson), 8:55. Penalties—None.

Second period scoring—Purpur, unassisted, :15. Penalties—Carbol.

Third period scoring—Hudson (Daly), 7:08; Patterson, 14:59; Patterson (Farrant), 19:07. Penalties—Smith (2), Carbol, Burns.

| Stops: | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Nelson | 10 | 17 | 12 | 39 |
| Wood | 4 | 5 | 9 | 18 |

**Wichita Is Winner.**

By the Associated Press.

WICHITA, Kan., Dec. 22.—Trick goals by Maloney and Hanson and a long shot by Ranger in the third period gave the Wichita Skyhawks a 3 to 2 victory over Kansas City in an American Hockey Association game here last night.

### WES RAMEY EASILY OUTPOINTS CARA

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 22. — Wesley Ramey, Grand Rapids (Mich.) lightweight, coasted to an eight-round victory over Pete Cara of New York in the main bout at the New York Coliseum last night. Ramey weighed 135, Cara, 138¾.

Ramey made one of his best Eastern showings. He outboxed Cara consistently, featuring a straight left to the head and a strong left hook to the body. He took all eight rounds.

In a six-round bout Nunzio Bisagno, 135, Newark, N. J., outpointed Sandolfo Diaz, 134, Puerto Rico.

### WRESTLING RESULTS

By the Associated Press.

PROVIDENCE, R. I.—Maurice Robert, 210, Montreal, defeated Chuck Montana, 205, Detroit, straight falls.

NEW HAVEN, Conn.—George Koverly, 218, Hollywood, Cal., defeated Bob Russell, 220, Texas, two of three falls.

HARRISBURG, Pa.—Abe Kashey, Paterson, N. J., threw Pierre de Glane, Montreal, 35:40; Paddy Mack, Lansdale, pinned Tony Siano, New York, 39 minutes. (Heavyweights.)

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind.—Dorve Roches, 220, Decatur, Ill., threw Shinki Shikuma, 205, Japan, (straight falls).

SAN FRANCISCO—Ivan Rasputin, 215, Russia, defeated Pat O'Shocker, 247, Salt Lake City, straight falls.

## Fighters Displayed Little Science, But Fans Got Plenty of Laughs

Washington University fraternity boxers do their stuff in the finals of the annual championship tourney. Upper left—Henry Nelson on the right scoring a technical knockout victory over Jim Duncan in the second round of the 155-pound class bout. Upper right— Charles Brew going through the ropes with Bob Obourn on the floor in the 145-pound class. Brew won on a technical knockout in the first round. Below—Both fighters, Charles Gulledge and Dick Compton on the floor in the 115-pound class. Gulledge, the man on the bottom won the decision.

## MUNY LEAGUE VOTES AGAINST JOINING U. S. SOCCER BODY

The Central Council of the Municipal Athletic Association, at a special meeting held last night, voted down a proposal for the circuit to rejoin the United States Football Association. The Executive Committee of the Soccer League had made the recommendation following a recent meeting.

The Central Council, in taking its stand, held that the U. S. F. A. had always been against the Municipal League; that it disregarded St. Louis entirely in selecting the last Olympic soccer eleven and that the U. S. F. A. was mainly an Eastern organization with little interest in the West.

A resolution was passed instructing the soccer Executive Committee to investigate charges of professionalism in the ranks of the Municipal team.

Bill Hellmich was named a member of the football Executive Committee to replace Robert Scannell, who has left the city.

In the St. Louis Soccer League round at Sportsman's Park next Sunday the leading St. Matthews will oppose the St. Patricks in the second and feature match. The Burkes and South Sides tangle in the opener.

### BRADLEY TECH FIVE BEATS INDIANA, 50-39, IN THRILLING GAME

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

PEORIA, Ill., Dec. 22.—Flashing a strong offensive, Bradley College defeated Indiana University of the Big Ten Conference here last night, 50-39, in a slam-bang basketball thriller.

Bradley led, 20-16, at the half and was never overhauled, although the touring Hoosiers kept right on the Indians' trail until the last few minutes.

With the score 42-37 for Bradley and two minutes to play, Les Getz, Bradley guard, slipped under the wicket for a sleeper shot. Dar Hutchins, who had given Bradley an early lead with six field goals before being benched with three fouls against him, re-entered the contest at this stage and plunked in a pair of field goals. Carl Schunk also hit one to definitely sink the Indianans.

Hutchins, with 18 points; Getz, with 11; Andres, with 14, and Johnson with 14, were individual stars. Indiana made one less field goal than the victors, but fell down badly on free throws.

### CAPE FIVE BEATEN BY SPARKS B. C.

CAPE GIRARDEAU, Mo., Dec. 22.—A small but fast basketball team from Sparks Business College at Shelbyville, Ill., defeated Southeast Missouri Teachers, 32 to 29, here last night.

The Sparks, led by Archer, center, with 15 points, were out in front most of the game. They led 18-12 at the half.

Godwin, Teacher forward, grabbed 12 points to lead his mates.

## Don Budge's Parents Favor His Turning Professional to "Reap Benefit of Years of Hard Work"

By the Associated Press.

OAKLAND, Cal., Dec. 22.—The parents of Don Budge, world tennis champion who wants to remain an amateur long enough to defend the Davis Cup, urged him today to turn professional and "reap some material benefit from years of hard work."

This unusual advice emanated from the family kitchen where Mrs. John Budge was doing dishes. It found the racket star on an exhibition tour of Australia.

**His Mother's Viewpoint.**

"When Donny returns home, his father's going to give him a good talking to," Mrs. Budge told an interviewer. "We're going to try and convince him that the wise thing to do would be to turn professional and reap some material benefit from years of hard work he has put into his tennis.

"We've always kept our opinions in the background, but now we think it's time we spoke up."

Quickly Mrs. Budge added: "We may talk ourselves blue in the face—but the final decision will be up to him."

That decision, sports prognosticators estimate, would make a difference of $100,000 in two seasons for his bank account. The red-head won the Wimbledon and national championships this year and led the American team to recapture the Davis Cup for the first time in 10 years.

Budge, rated the nation's No. 1 athlete of 1937 in a poll of sports editors, so far has rejected professional offers.

But, said Mrs. Budge, whose husband is a printer: "Neither Don nor we are any too well off, and there seems to be no sense to pass up such an opportunity.

"That automobile accident Don had en route to Los Angeles before he and Gene Mako left for Australia made me realize the boy should not gamble with his future.

"He hurt his shoulder, which was bad enough, but he might have been seriously injured, crippled so badly he could never have played again. Then where would he be? He couldn't live on his past reputation.

Many sportsmen see Budge, who is 22, as the future traveling opponent of the winner of the coming season's professional tour between Ellsworth Vines and Fred Perry, who kept Budge from winning the national and Wimbledon titles in 1936.

### WAGNERS TO MEET INTERNATIONAL FIVE IN INDUSTRIAL LEAGUE

The Wagner and International teams will meet in the feature of four games on the program of the Y. M. C. A. Industrial Basketball League at the Armory, Grand and Market, tonight, starting at 7:45 o'clock.

The Wagners, in nosing out Fouke last Wednesday to gain undisputed possession of first place in No. 1 division, played their best contest of the season thus far and will attempt to gain their fourth straight victory against the Internationals. The Internationals, however, have been improving with each game and in their previous encounter with Wagner were defeated by but two points.

At the same time, in Division No. 2, Laclede-Christy will meet Monsanto on the South court.

These two contests will be followed by two more at 9 p. m. when Pevely plays Fouke in Division No. 1 and Stix, Baer & Fuller meets Wohl A. C. in Division No. 2. The Wohl five will attempt to gain its fourth straight victory this season and the twenty-fourth straight in its division.

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The St. Louis Cardinal righthander was handed the somewhat doubtful honor in the annual sports poll of the Associated Press.

"It just goes to show you," he observed, "that Ol' Diz doesn't do things half way. I'm either very, very good or I'm awful.

"The boys couldn't have made a better selection. When I fail to win less than 20 games for the Cardinals that is something to attract attention.

"If I had won 20 or more games they would have just yawned and said, 'Well, he done it again!'

"But I maintained one good record. Jimmy Wilson (catcher-manager of the Phillies) didn't get a hit off me all season. In fact, he hasn't made but one off me in five years and that was a fluke."

Dizzy may have been courting trouble, for Jimmy is one of the best customers at Dizzy's filling station here.

### PHILLIPS WIN, 46-39, FROM KANSAS CITY

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BARTLESVILLE, Ok., Dec. 22. — The Phillips team of the Missouri Valley A. A. U. Basketball League drew into a tie for second place last night with the Kansas City Healeys by forging ahead in the last half to win from the Healeys, 46 to 39.

Ray Ebling, Phillips forward, high scoring player of the game, and Center Fortenberry began sinking baskets in the last part of the contest to put the locals far ahead.

The score was tied 26 to 26 at the half.

## Ticket Agency Wants Seats for Rose Bowl Game

By the Associated Press.

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 22.

THE Rose Bowl ticket situation at a glance:

A ticket agency here, accustomed to securing large blocks of seats to all big events, advertised today "Rose Bowl tickets wanted."

The ad said $8 would be paid for regular $4 tickets, and $6 for $3 ducats.

## Irish Village Loses First Muny Game This Year

The defending champion Irish Village girls' basketball team was defeated for the first time this season in Municipal League play last night, losing to Flying Squadron, 29—22, at the Sherman Park Gymnasium. The Squadron thereby took first place.

The Village team scored only eight points in the first half. In the other league contest the Kaemmer Girls won from the Sherman team, 26—13.

Opening the Monday Night Men's Division, the Overland Business Men beat the Polish Falcons, 25—13, and the Clayton Business Men won from St. Marks, 26—15.

Tonight the Wednesday Night men play in two games at the St. Louis U. Gymnasium. The Y. M. H. A. meets the Golubs in the first game at 8 o'clock, and the Bill Binigs play the Rivals in the second contest.

The Monday Night Girls' League games have been rescheduled for tonight, the Tom Burkes meeting the St. Edwards and the Bridge Motors opposing the Howe A. C. at Sherman Park.

### WICHITA A. A. U. FIVE WINS, 49 TO 42, FROM COLORADO SPRINGS

By the Associated Press.

COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo., Dec. 22.—The Gridley basketball team from Wichita, Kan., handed the Colorado Springs Antlers their second consecutive Missouri Valley A. A. U. Conference defeat here last night, 49 to 42.

The Wichita team has won two of its four starts while the Antlers have dropped both of theirs.

The Antlers started out with a bang and ran up a sizeable lead before Wellhausen, lanky Gridley forward, started hitting the basket.

Ratzlaff, Gridley forward, scored 16 points to top players on both teams.

## TRIO OF KAYOS FEATURE FINAL BOUTS IN W. U. TITLE TOURNEY

Three technical knockouts and four pins by body blocks featured the final round of the annual Washington University Intramural boxing and wrestling tournament yesterday afternoon.

Charles Brew was credited with the first knockout when he stopped his opponent, Bob Obourn, after 1 minute and 12 seconds of the first round. He had Obourn on the floor no fewer than five times. A blow which missed its original mark and landed on the loser's back sent Obourn down for the final count.

For one complete round and 1 minute and 7 seconds of the second round, Lew Hardy and Bill Guthrie put on a wild swinging slugfest. However, about the middle of the second round, Lewis caught Guthrie with a hard right to the jaw, ending the fight.

It took Henry Nelson only 57 seconds to catch up with Jim Duncan and knock him out with a wild swing to the face.

The fans were very keenly disappointed when Thoenes defaulted to Gold. The latter had fought the best fight in the preliminaries.

The wrestling end of the tournament was rather drab. Bob Gaines provided the best entertainment in pinning Al Etter in 52 seconds. Gaines has won the title for the past four years and only once has he gone over a minute in downing his man.

Don Bristow, former Missouri State high school champion, pinned Bob Fischer in 58 seconds. Myron Gollub, another Missouri State high school champion, defeated Jean Felker in 7½ minutes with a body block.

### RESULTS OF FINALS

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### COLLINSVILLE DEFEATS BELLEVILLE FIVE, 38-27

As a result of its 38-27 victory over Belleville in the feature of last night's four-game schedule on the East Side, Collinsville High School's basketball team went into a three-way tie with East St. Louis and Granite City for leadership of the Southwestern Illinois Conference. Non-league play saw Granite City defeat Centralia 26—22; Cathedral swamp Highland 33—6, and Central Catholic beat its Alumni 36—28.

Led by Walt Evers, Collinsville's offense clicked in second-half play to forge ahead and win handily. Belleville led the victors at the half 13—12. Evers was high scorer with 14 points, while Roger Merker, Belleville guard, tallied 12 points.

**Play Scoreless Tie.**

Chaminade and Normandy soccer teams played a scoreless tie in a St. Louis High School League game at Normandy's muddy field yesterday afternoon.

## WRAY'S COLUMN

**To Subtract, You Must Add.**

THE de-rabbiting of the official National League baseball for 1938 has developed the rather confusing fact that in order to subtract you must add. In order to take the rabbit from the "apple" of yesterday, the manufacturers will have to ADD materials—to-wit, leather and twine.

Subtraction of said rabbit, it appears, requires the addition of a cover 1-128 inch thicker than that of last season and the use of a fifth strand in place of only four for sewing the cover parts together.

The change, so the technicians agree, will slow up the ball about four or five feet on long drives, will reduce its speed on ground hits and, by reason of the thicker cover and heavier seams, cause greater resistance when rolling.

However, even the authorities are uncertain as to the new ball's ultimate behavior and officials admit they are "awaiting with interest to see the effect of the changes made."

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ONE of the things not considered is the possibility that the pitching as well as the batting may be affected. Higher seams and rougher surfaces give a pitcher a better grip and greater curving power.

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For the batting in the National already is notably weaker than that of the American League, which is retaining the livelier ball fo 1937. The National League averages are sure to suffer by comparison with the American League's.

Failure to act jointly on the ball changes also will cause a return to the use of two different official balls in the world series next fall.

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**Don't Trust Your Eyesight.**

THE lesson of the current racing year seems to be: "Don't bet that what your eyes see really happens." That's because human vision has been proved to be efficient only to rather large split seconds of time.

Mechanical timing of athletic events has shown that human timers depending on their eyesight and a split second watch, varied frequently from one-tenth to as much as two-fifths of a second, in short distance races.

But it remained for the camera, employed in recording the finish of horse races, to show up the eyesight of the judges of pre-camera days.

Once upon a time a dead heat was so unusual that it was big news. Apparently the vision of the placing judges was not keen enough to separate finishes that close.

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The City League team gained a 21-11 lead at the half, holding the advantage throughout most of the game.

In other contests C. B. C. turned back Webster Groves, 38-14; Normandy won from Beaumont, 28-23; Fairview defeated Riverview Gardens, 40-24; Chaminade trimmed its alumni, 22-12, and McBride did the same, 26-24.

The McBride alumni scored eight points in the closing minutes of the game, just missed tying the score.

Normandy had some difficulty in its game with Beaumont. Ahead 14-12 at the half, the county team lost the lead several times but eventually won the game, Van Deven leading the scoring with 13 points. Riverview led by one point at the half, 15-14, but Fairview came back in the next two periods to get the advantage it finally held.

### SQUASH RACQUETS MEET SCHEDULED FRIDAY AT SIDNEY HILL CLUB

Dave Bartosch, Karl Johannsen, George Parker and Max Tonsi have been given a minus-five handicap for the Sidney Hill Health Club's squash racquets tournament which will be held Friday. Other players have a plus five or 10 advantage.

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Central 30, St. Louis U. High 28.
Normandy 29, Beaumont 23.
McBride 26, McBride Alumni 24.
Fairview 40, Riverview 24.
Collinsville 38, Belleville 27.
Belleville Cathedral 33, Highland 6.
Granite City 26, Centralia 22.
Central Catholic 36, Alumni 28.
Chaminade 22, Alumni 12.
GIRLS' MUNY LEAGUE.
Flying Squadron 29, Irish Village 22.
Harmoners 26, Sherman 13.
MEN'S MUNY LEAGUE.
Overland 25, Polish Falcons 13.
Clayton 26, St. Marks 15.
EPWORTH LEAGUE.
Wesley Methodist 23, Union 14.
Epworth 34, Winsor 21.
Trinity Methodist 32, Bowman Methodist 17.
ELSEWHERE.
Washington 43, California 34.
Michigan 50, Rochester 29.
Toledo 59, Iowa 39.
Tennessee 31, Duquesne 27.
Bradley Tech 50, Indiana 39.
Southern California 43, Rice 37.
Creighton 44, DePaul 37.
Pittsburg Teachers 40, Kirksville Teachers 28.
College of Emporia 52, Bethel College [illegible]
Montana State College 48, Ricks 32.
Montana 67, Carroll of Helena 16.
Sparks Business College 32, Southeast Missouri Teachers 29.
Marshall 54, St. Francis 32.
Wabash 43, Taylor U. 25.
Rider College 46, Wittenberg 45.

### Former Farm Boy Now Leading Jockey

—Associated Press Wirephoto.

Johnny Adams, the Iola, Kan. apprentice, who leads the jockeys for the 1937 campaign with 253 victories to his credit, with his wife and three-year-old son. Adams rode the winner in the $10,000 stake at Tanforan last Saturday. He now is at his Kansas home for the Christmas holidays. Adams, before he became a jockey, rode plow-horses on his father's farm. Johnny arrived home yesterday from Wichita, where he had come by plane from San Francisco. He rode the 120 miles from Wichita in a bright colored taxicab.

## Official N. L. Pitching Records

PITCHERS WHO PITCHED AT LEAST 10 COMPLETE GAMES, BASED ON LOWEST PERCENTAGE OF EARNED RUNS PER NINE-INNING GAME.

| Rating. ER. | PC. | NAME AND CLUB. | Throws. | No. Games Pitched. | No. Complete Games. | No. Games Finished. | No. Innings Pitched. | Games Won. | Games Lost. | PC. Won and Lost. | Shutouts. | Batsmen Facing Pitcher. | Base Hits. | Sacrifice Hits. | Hit Batsmen | Bases on Balls. | Strikeouts. | Wild Pitches. | Total Runs. | Runs Earned Off Pitchers. | Average Runs Earned per 9-Inn. Game. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | 7 | Turner, James R., Boston | R | 33 | 24 | 3 | 257 | 20 | 11 | .645 | 5 | 1031 | 228 | 10 | .. | 52 | 69 | .. | 80 | 68 | 2.38 |
| 2 | 2 | Melton, Clifford G., New York | L | 46 | 14 | 14 | 248 | 20 | 9 | .690 | 2 | 1004 | 216 | 14 | 6 | 55 | 142 | 2 | 90 | 72 | 2.61 |
| 3 | 10 | Dean, Jerome H., St. Louis | R | 27 | 17 | 2 | 197 | 13 | 10 | .565 | 4 | 818 | 200 | 11 | 2 | 33 | 120 | 1 | 76 | 59 | 2.70 |
| 4 | 3 | Bauers, Russell, Pittsburgh | R | 34 | 11 | 9 | 188 | 13 | 6 | .684 | 2 | 807 | 174 | 14 | 4 | 80 | 118 | 5 | 70 | 60 | 2.87 |
| 5 | 4 | Fette, Louis W., Boston | R | 35 | 23 | 2 | 259 | 20 | 10 | .667 | 5 | 1075 | 243 | 21 | 4 | 81 | 70 | 2 | 93 | 83 | 2.88 |
| 6 | 22 | Mungo, Van L., Brooklyn | R | 25 | 14 | 4 | 161 | 9 | 11 | .450 | .. | 665 | 136 | 11 | 3 | 56 | 122 | 2 | 65 | 52 | 2.91 |
| 7 | 14 | MacFayden, Daniel K., Boston | R | 32 | 16 | .. | 246 | 14 | 14 | .500 | 2 | 1015 | 250 | 19 | 2 | 60 | 70 | .. | 96 | 80 | 2.93 |
| 8 | 4 | Carleton, James O., Chicago | R | 32 | 18 | 3 | 208 | 16 | 8 | .667 | 4 | 889 | 183 | 14 | 4 | 94 | 105 | 3 | 80 | 73 | 3.16 |
| 9 | 1 | Hubbell, Carl O., New York | L | 39 | 18 | 6 | 262 | 22 | 8 | .733 | 4 | 1087 | 261 | 15 | 3 | 55 | 159 | 7 | 108 | 93 | 3.19 |
| 10 | 26 | Grissom, Lee T., Cincinnati | L | 50 | 14 | 16 | 224 | 12 | 17 | .414 | 5 | 939 | 193 | 11 | 4 | 93 | 149 | 8 | 89 | 81 | 3.25 |
| 11 | 11 | Blanton, Darrell E., Pittsburgh | R | 36 | 14 | .. | 243 | 14 | 12 | .538 | 4 | 1034 | 250 | 12 | 5 | 76 | 143 | 3 | 115 | 89 | 3.30 |
| 12 | 6 | Castleman, Clydell, New York | R | 23 | 10 | .. | 160 | 11 | 6 | .647 | 2 | 639 | 148 | 8 | .. | 33 | 78 | 2 | 66 | 59 | 3.32 |
| 13 | 14 | Johnson, Silas K., St. Louis | R | 38 | 12 | 9 | 192 | 12 | 12 | .500 | 1 | 821 | 222 | 16 | 1 | 43 | 64 | 3 | 92 | 71 | 3.33 |
| 14 | 19 | Hoyt, Waite C., 11Pitt-27Bkln | R | 38 | 10 | 10 | 195 | 8 | 9 | .471 | 1 | 828 | 211 | 10 | .. | 36 | 65 | 2 | 97 | 74 | 3.42 |
| 15 | 28 | Bush, Guy T., Boston | R | 32 | 11 | 7 | 181 | 8 | 15 | .348 | 1 | 774 | 201 | 14 | .. | 48 | 56 | .. | 77 | 71 | 3.53 |
| 16 | 16 | Lee, William C., Chicago | R | 42 | 17 | 5 | 272 | 14 | 15 | .483 | 2 | 1146 | 289 | 13 | .. | 73 | 108 | 2 | 122 | 107 | 3.54 |
| 17 | 13 | Weiland, Robert G., St. Louis | L | 41 | 21 | 4 | 264 | 15 | 14 | .517 | 2 | 1146 | 283 | 20 | 5 | 94 | 105 | 5 | 127 | 104 | 3.55 |
| 18 | 20 | Hamlin, Luke D., Brooklyn | R | 39 | 11 | 8 | 186 | 11 | 13 | .458 | 1 | 787 | 183 | 12 | .. | 48 | 93 | 4 | 96 | 74 | 3.58 |
| 19 | 20 | Davis, Ray T., Cincinnati | R | 42 | 11 | 6 | 218 | 11 | 13 | .458 | 1 | 918 | 252 | 12 | 2 | 51 | 59 | 2 | 105 | 87 | 3.59 |
| 20 | 12 | Schumacher, H. H., New York | R | 38 | 10 | 5 | 218 | 13 | 12 | .520 | 1 | 942 | 222 | 13 | .. | 89 | 100 | 6 | 100 | 87 | 3.59 |
| 21 | 18 | Gumbert, Harry E., New York | R | 34 | 10 | 4 | 200 | 10 | 11 | .476 | 1 | 847 | 194 | 26 | 4 | 62 | 65 | 3 | 92 | 82 | 3.69 |
| 22 | 27 | Hollingsworth, Albert W., Cin. | L | 43 | 11 | 12 | 202 | 9 | 15 | .375 | 1 | 895 | 224 | 13 | 2 | 73 | 74 | 8 | 108 | 88 | 3.92 |
| 23 | 9 | French, Lawrence H., Chicago | L | 42 | 11 | 5 | 208 | 16 | 10 | .615 | 4 | 911 | 229 | 8 | 1 | 65 | 100 | 5 | 106 | 92 | 3.98 |
| 24 | 25 | Derringer, Paul, Cincinnati | R | 43 | 12 | 12 | 223 | 10 | 14 | 4.17 | 1 | 963 | 240 | 22 | .. | 55 | 94 | .. | 122 | 100 | 4.04 |
| 25 | 24 | Passeau, Claude W., Philadelphia | R | 50 | 18 | 12 | 292 | 14 | 18 | .438 | 1 | 1276 | 348 | 17 | 5 | 79 | 135 | .. | 158 | 141 | 4.35 |
| 26 | 8 | Warneke, Lonnie, St. Louis | R | 36 | 18 | 1 | 239 | 18 | 11 | .621 | 2 | 1051 | 280 | 8 | .. | 69 | 87 | 6 | 139 | 120 | 4.52 |
| 27 | 16 | Walters, William H., Philadelphia | R | 37 | 15 | 1 | 246 | 14 | 15 | .483 | 3 | 1094 | 292 | 14 | 3 | 86 | 87 | 4 | 148 | 130 | 4.76 |
| 28 | 23 | LaMaster, Wayne, Philadelphia | L | 50 | 10 | 11 | 220 | 15 | 19 | .441 | 1 | 974 | 255 | 12 | 2 | 82 | 135 | 1 | 139 | 130 | 5.32 |

BALKS—Mungo and Grissom, 2 each; Castleman and Weiland, 1 each.
TIES—Dean and Hoyt, 2 each; LaMaster, Passeau and Grissom, 1 each.

PITCHERS PARTICIPATING IN TEN OR MORE GAMES, BUT NOT PITCHING TEN COMPLETE GAMES.

| Name and Club. | Throws. | No. Games Pitched. | No. Complete Games. | No. Games Finished. | No. Innings Pitched. | Games Won. | Games Lost. | PC. Won and Lost. | Shutouts. | Batsmen Facing Pitcher. | Base Hits. | Sacrifice Hits. | Hit Batsmen. | Bases on Balls. | Strikeouts. | Wild Pitches. | Total Runs. | Runs Earned Off Pitchers. | Average Runs Earned per 9-Inn. Game. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Schott, Eugene A., Cincinnati | R | 37 | 7 | 11 | 154 | 4 | 13 | .235 | 2 | 654 | 150 | 12 | 1 | 48 | 56 | 4 | 60 | 51 | 2.98 |
| Tobin, James, Pittsburgh | R | 20 | 7 | 9 | 87 | 6 | 3 | .667 | .. | 357 | 74 | 1 | 1 | 28 | 37 | 4 | 38 | 29 | 3.00 |
| Coffman, R. S., New York | R | 42 | .. | 21 | 80 | 8 | 3 | .727 | .. | 363 | 93 | 6 | 4 | 31 | 30 | 1 | 36 | 27 | 3.04 |
| Brandt, E. A., Pittsburgh | L | 33 | 7 | 6 | 176 | 11 | 10 | .524 | 3 | 750 | 177 | 9 | 2 | 67 | 74 | 1 | 73 | 61 | 3.12 |
| Weaver, J. D., Pittsburgh | R | 32 | 2 | 10 | 110 | 8 | 5 | .615 | 1 | 457 | 106 | 11 | .. | 31 | 44 | 3 | 49 | 39 | 3.19 |
| Root, C. H., Chicago | R | 43 | 5 | 20 | 179 | 13 | 5 | .722 | .. | 729 | 173 | 8 | 4 | 32 | 74 | 2 | 71 | 67 | 3.37 |
| Lindsey, J. K., Brooklyn | R | 20 | .. | 11 | 38 | .. | 1 | .000 | .. | 164 | 43 | 5 | 1 | 12 | 15 | 1 | 22 | 15 | 3.55 |
| Blake, J. Fred, St. Louis | R | 14 | 2 | 5 | 44 | .. | 3 | .000 | .. | 192 | 45 | 8 | .. | 18 | 20 | 1 | 23 | 18 | 3.68 |
| Hutchinson, I. K., Boston | R | 31 | 1 | 14 | 92 | 4 | 6 | .400 | .. | 394 | 99 | 12 | 1 | 34 | 29 | 3 | 44 | 38 | 3.72 |
| Weir, W. F., Boston | L | 10 | 1 | 3 | 33 | 1 | 1 | .500 | .. | 140 | 27 | 2 | .. | 19 | 8 | .. | 18 | 14 | 3.82 |
| Vandermeer, J., Cincinnati | L | 19 | 4 | 3 | 84 | 3 | 5 | .375 | .. | 380 | 63 | 7 | 2 | 69 | 52 | 1 | 41 | 36 | 3.86 |
| Cascarella, J. T., Cincinnati | R | 11 | 2 | 4 | 44 | 1 | 2 | .333 | .. | 193 | 44 | 4 | .. | 22 | 16 | .. | 24 | 19 | 3.89 |
| Lanning, J. Y., Boston | R | 32 | 4 | 13 | 117 | 5 | 7 | .417 | 1 | 499 | 107 | 5 | 1 | 40 | 37 | 3 | 59 | 51 | 3.92 |
| Eisenstat, Harry, Brooklyn | L | 13 | .. | 6 | 48 | 3 | 3 | .500 | .. | 214 | 61 | 4 | 1 | 11 | 12 | 1 | 28 | 21 | 3.94 |
| Swift, William, Pittsburgh | R | 36 | 9 | 12 | 164 | 9 | 10 | .474 | .. | 676 | 160 | 13 | 3 | 34 | 84 | 3 | 79 | 72 | 3.95 |
| Davis, C. B., Chicago | R | 28 | 8 | 8 | 124 | 10 | 5 | .667 | .. | 527 | 138 | 9 | 5 | 30 | 32 | .. | 64 | 56 | 4.06 |
| Smith, Robert E., Boston | R | 18 | .. | 12 | 44 | .. | 1 | .000 | .. | 185 | 52 | 1 | 2 | 6 | 14 | .. | 22 | 20 | 4.09 |
| Ryba, D. J., St. Louis | R | 38 | 5 | 22 | 135 | 9 | 6 | .600 | .. | 586 | 152 | 8 | 2 | 40 | 57 | 3 | 76 | 62 | 4.13 |
| Brown, M. S., Pittsburgh | R | 50 | .. | 27 | 108 | 7 | 2 | .778 | 1 | 470 | 109 | 6 | 1 | 45 | 60 | 3 | 59 | 50 | 4.17 |
| Smith, A. J., New York | L | 33 | 2 | 13 | 86 | 5 | 4 | .556 | .. | 367 | 91 | 4 | 2 | 30 | 41 | .. | 45 | 40 | 4.19 |
| Butcher, A. M., Brooklyn | R | 39 | 8 | 11 | 192 | 11 | 15 | .423 | 1 | 823 | 203 | 17 | 5 | 75 | 57 | 3 | 106 | 91 | 4.265 |
| Bryant, C. H., Chicago | R | 38 | 4 | 16 | 135 | 9 | 3 | .750 | 1 | 587 | 117 | 4 | 1 | 78 | 75 | 5 | 69 | 64 | 4.266 |
| Frankhouse, F. M., Brooklyn | R | 33 | 9 | 4 | 179 | 10 | 13 | .435 | 1 | 819 | 214 | 17 | 4 | 78 | 64 | 3 | 104 | 85 | 4.273 |
| Lucas, C. F., Pittsburgh | R | 20 | 9 | .. | 126 | 8 | 10 | .444 | 1 | 549 | 150 | 8 | 1 | 23 | 20 | .. | 69 | 60 | 4.29 |
| Fitzsimmons, F., 6NY-13 Brooklyn | R | 19 | 5 | 1 | 118 | 6 | 10 | .375 | 1 | 501 | 119 | 11 | 1 | 40 | 42 | 4 | 61 | 57 | 4.35 |
| Jorgens, Orville, Philadelphia | R | 52 | 1 | 19 | 141 | 3 | 4 | .429 | .. | 621 | 159 | 15 | 5 | 68 | 34 | 3 | 83 | 69 | 4.40 |
| Haines, J. J., St. Louis | R | 16 | 2 | 4 | 66 | 3 | 3 | .500 | .. | 296 | 81 | 5 | 1 | 23 | 18 | 1 | 36 | 33 | 4.50 |
| Bowman, J. E., Pittsburgh | R | 30 | 7 | 8 | 128 | 8 | 8 | .500 | .. | 567 | 161 | 5 | 1 | 35 | 38 | 2 | 78 | 65 | 4.57 |
| Moore, L. A., Cincinnati | R | 13 | .. | 5 | 39 | .. | 3 | .000 | .. | 181 | 32 | 4 | 4 | 39 | 27 | 3 | 22 | 21 | 4.85 |
| Johnson, S., Philadelphia | R | 32 | 4 | 10 | 138 | 4 | 10 | .286 | .. | 574 | 155 | 11 | 2 | 22 | 46 | .1 | 81 | 77 | 5.02 |
| Henshaw, Roy, Brooklyn | L | 42 | 5 | 13 | 156 | 5 | 12 | .294 | .. | 715 | 176 | 8 | 4 | 69 | 98 | .5 | 110 | 88 | 5.08 |
| Baker, T. C., 7Brk-13NY | R | 20 | .. | 15 | 39 | 1 | 1 | .500 | .. | 176 | 44 | 5 | 1 | 21 | 13 | 4 | 25 | 22 | 5.08 |
| Parmelee, L. E., Chicago | R | 33 | 8 | 7 | 146 | 7 | 8 | .467 | .. | 672 | 165 | 10 | 7 | 79 | 55 | 11 | 93 | 83 | 5.12 |
| Mulcahy, H. N., Philadelphia | R | 56 | 9 | 15 | 216 | 8 | 18 | .308 | 1 | 979 | 256 | 11 | 7 | 97 | 54 | 7 | 147 | 123 | 5.13 |
| Jeffcoat, G. E., Brooklyn | R | 21 | 1 | 10 | 54 | 1 | 3 | .250 | 1 | 243 | 58 | 1 | 3 | 27 | 29 | 2 | 33 | 31 | 5.17 |
| Cantwell, B. C., 1NY-13Brooklyn | R | 14 | .. | 6 | 31 | .. | 1 | .000 | .. | 144 | 38 | 8 | .. | 9 | 13 | .. | 21 | 18 | 5.23 |
| Gabler, F. H., 6NY-19Boston | R | 25 | 2 | 11 | 85 | 4 | 7 | .264 | 1 | 365 | 104 | 6 | .. | 18 | 22 | 2 | 59 | 53 | 5.611 |
| Shoun, C. M., Chicago | L | 37 | 2 | 12 | 93 | 7 | 7 | .500 | .. | 438 | 118 | 11 | .. | 45 | 43 | 4 | 65 | 58 | 5.612 |
| Harrell, R. J., St. Louis | R | 35 | 1 | 8 | 97 | 3 | 7 | .300 | 1 | 450 | 99 | 13 | 2 | 59 | 41 | 6 | 73 | 63 | 5.85 |
| Winford, J. H., St. Louis | R | 16 | .. | 8 | 46 | 2 | 4 | .333 | .. | 215 | 56 | 8 | .. | 27 | 17 | 1 | 31 | 30 | 5.87 |
| Hallahan, W. A., Cincinnati | L | 21 | 2 | 7 | 63 | 3 | 9 | .250 | .. | 298 | 90 | 6 | 2 | 29 | 18 | 1 | 52 | 43 | 6.14 |
| Birkofer, R. J., Brooklyn | L | 11 | .. | 5 | 30 | .. | 2 | .000 | .. | 145 | 45 | 4 | .. | 9 | 9 | .. | 28 | 22 | 6.60 |
| Kelleher, H., Philadelphia | R | 27 | 1 | 11 | 58 | 2 | 4 | .333 | .. | 277 | 72 | 5 | 7 | 31 | 20 | .. | 51 | 43 | 6.67 |
| Brennan, J. D., 10Cinn-6NY | R | 16 | .. | 5 | 25 | 2 | 1 | .667 | .. | 132 | 37 | 2 | 1 | 19 | 7 | 1 | 22 | 19 | 6.84 |
| Mooty, J. T., Cincinnati | R | 14 | .. | 8 | 39 | .. | 3 | .000 | .. | 191 | 54 | 4 | .. | 22 | 11 | 4 | 39 | 36 | 8.31 |

Balks—Schott, Eisenstat, Ryba, A. Smith, Butcher, Bryant, Frankhouse, Mulcahy and Jeffcoat, 1 each.
Ties—Ryba and Jorgens, 2 each; Schott, Blake, Butcher, Frankhouse, Haines, Henshaw, Mulcahy and Harrell, 1 each.

## Three East Side Fives to Play in Mt. Vernon Meet

Three Southwestern Illinois Conference basketball teams, Granite City, Wood River and Alton, will compete in Mount Vernon High School's Holiday tournament starting next Monday. Among the entries are West Frankfort, Johnston City, Benton, Effingham, Anna-Jonesboro, Albion, Fairfield, Mount Vernon, Mount Carmel, Marion, Herrin, Lawrenceville and Salem.

The three East Side teams are in upper bracket. Wood River meets Fairfield in the second game of Monday morning's session, while Granite City starts afternoon play by opposing Mount Carmel and Alton follows against Benton. Should Granite City and Alton win first round games, they will meet in Tuesday's play.

Granite City is the main reliance of East Side followers as the tournament boasts the outstanding Southern Illinois teams. Granite City has a rangy team and from present indication appears capable of meeting the best. Benton, Marion and Herrin are noted for their outstanding teams, while Anna-Jonesboro produced a fine team last season.

Eight games Monday with the first starting at 9:45 a. m. inaugurate play. Four games are scheduled for Tuesday, with the semifinals Wednesday and the championship game Thursday night at 8:15 o'clock.

The opening schedule: Game No. 1—Marion vs. Herrin at 9:45 a. m.; Game No. 2—Wood River vs. Fairfield at 11:00 a. m.; Game No. 3—Mount Carmel vs. Granite City at 2:00 p. m.; Game No. 4—Benton vs. Alton at 3:10 p. m.; Game No. 5—West Frankfort vs. Albion at 4:20 p. m.; Game No. 6—Mount Vernon vs. Effingham at 7:00 p. m. Game No. 7—Salem vs. Anna-Jonesboro at 8:10 p. m. Game No. 8—Johnston City vs. Lawrenceville at 9:20 p. m.

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## MISS WEISS IS RANKED FIFTH BY U. S. PARKS TENNIS BOARD

Mercelna Weiss, St. Louis District champion, gained fifth place in the annual ranking of the National Parks and Playgrounds Tennis Association, according to the official list announced today by Joseph F. Suttner of Buffalo, president of the organization. With Mrs. Jean Dalstrom as a partner, Miss Weiss received the No. 4 position in the doubles ranking for 1937.

The St. Louis star reached the quarterfinals of the National Public Parks championship in Pittsburgh last August. Miss Weiss and Mrs. Dalstrom gained the semifinal bracket in the doubles.

In the men's ranking announced last week Frank Keaney, St. Louis District title holder, was placed No. 7 in singles. Keaney and Ward Parker were awarded second place in the men's doubles.

William T. Bell, local public parks tennis official, served as chairman of the National Parks Ranking Committee for the second successive year. He was assisted by Dudley Shumway, Los Angeles; Morton Roan, Minneapolis; Paul G. Sullivan, Pittsburgh, and Joseph Carlton, New York.

The rankings:

SINGLES.
1. Mary Arnold, Los Angeles.
2. Gertrude Dockstader, Los Angeles.
3. Elizabeth Deike, Pasadena, Cal.
4. Ethel Haas, Buffalo, N. Y.
5. Mercelna Weiss, St. Louis.
6. Jean Artzberger, Pittsburgh.

DOUBLES.
1. Mary Arnold and Gertrude Dockstader, Los Angeles.
2. Constance O'Donovan and Mrs. Esther Politzer, Detroit.
3. Ethel Haas and Gertrude Rassejs, Buffalo.
4. Mercelna Weiss and Mrs. Jean Dalstrom, St. Louis.

## EAST ST. LOUIS AND BELLEVILLE WRESTLERS WIN LEAGUE MATCHES

Wirt Downing's East St. Louis High School wrestling team gained a 31 to 10 victory over Madison High's matmen in the inaugural Southwestern Illinois Conference match last night in East St. Louis. The East St. Louisans are defending champions. In another league match, Belleville defeated Edwardsville, 30 to 13, at Edwardsville.

The summaries:

EAST ST. LOUIS-MADISON.

95-Pound Class—Stacey Gaines, East St. Louis, defeated Arnold Rutheford, Madison. Referee's decision.

105-Pound Class—Bill Kennedy, East St. Louis, defeated Eugene McConnell, Madison. Fall time—6:51 seconds.

115-Pound Class—Tom Brady, East St. Louis, defeated Charles McMahon, Madison. Referee's decision.

125-Pound Class—Edward Walko, East St. Louis, defeated Elmer Naud, Madison. Fall time—5:44 seconds.

135-Pound Class—Norbert Jennings, East St. Louis, defeated Lamon Lancester, Madison. Fall time—3:54 seconds.

145-Pound Class—Shirley Williams, Madison, defeated Ray Wolf, East St. Louis. Fall time—2:36 seconds.

155-Pound Class—Jim Saunders, East St. Louis, defeated Frank Ostrenga, Madison. Fall time—3:13 seconds.

165-Pound Class—James Owens, East St. Louis, defeated John Allen, Madison. Fall time—3:16 seconds.

185-Pound Class—Talmadge Fisk, Madison, defeated Archie Little, East St. Louis. Fall time—4:40 seconds.

BELLEVILLE-EDWARDSVILLE.

95-Pound Class—Seib, Belleville, defeated Whiteman, Edwardsville Fall time—1:53 seconds.

105-Pound Class—Libbert, Belleville, defeated Sperandio, Edwardsville. Fall time—6:13 seconds.

115-Pound Class—Klass, Belleville, defeated Bassett, Edwardsville. Fall time—2:44 seconds.

125-Pound Class—Green, Edwardsville, defeated Hettenhausen, Belleville. Referee's decision.

135-Pound Class—Dippold, Edwardsville, defeated McCords, Belleville. Fall time—4:49 seconds.

145-Pound Class—Grisson, Belleville, defeated Jahn, Edwardsville. Fall time—3:42 seconds.

155-Pound Class—Jackson, Belleville, defeated Rogers, Edwardsville. Fall time—3:03 seconds.

165-Pound Class—Simmons, Edwardsville, defeated Cory, Belleville. Fall time—3 minutes.

185-Pound Class—Baum, Belleville, defeated Bayer, Edwardsville. Fall time—5:14 seconds.

## GLENDALE RIFLE CLUB WINS NITH STRAIGHT MATCH IN LEAGUE

Easily defeating the Belleville club, Glendale rifle shooters recently won their ninth consecutive match in the Metropolitan League to hold their lead. The Belleville score was 938—867.

Other results: Washington U., 924; West End, 817; East St. Louis, 890; Winnebago, 876; University City Sr., 909, Industrial, 885.

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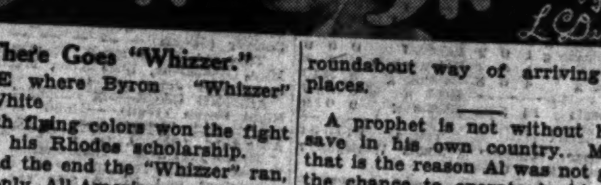

**There Goes "Whizzer."**

I SEE where Byron "Whizzer" White
With flying colors won the fight
For his Rhodes scholarship.
Around the end the "Whizzer" ran,
The only All-American,
To ever make the trip.

His education to complete,
And with the brainy boys compete
To Oxford he will go.
The all of which would indicate
It sometimes pays to educate
The mind as well as toe.

With a record of 13-10 Dizzy Dean was voted the biggest flop of 1937. That is what the majority of pitchers would call a pretty fair season. The fact that Ol' Diz failed to maintain the high standard set for himself was due to injuries and a sore shoulder from which no pitcher is immune. Hence we feel that the critics ain't done right by our Diz.

Trouble is when one has scaled the heights a single step backward is looked upon as a plunge to the bottom. But keep your eye on Ol' Diz next year as he digs in the old alpenstock and recovers the lost ground.

"Whizzer" White will make his football valedictory in the Cotton Bowl game against Rice on New Year's day. Colorado is well thought of but if the game were played in the Rice Bowl they wouldn't have a Chinaman's chance.

Al Smith on his way from New York to Philadelphia stopped off at St. Louis for the Christmas holidays. Al is making the trip by the waiver route famous for its roundabout way of arriving at places.

A prophet is not without honor save in his own country. Maybe that is the reason Al was not given the chance to operate in his own bailiwick.

But we can recall several home-town boys who have performed creditably on their native heath, to wit: Theodore Breitenstein, "Wee Willie" Sudhoff, Jack O'Connor, Patsy Tebeau, Andy High and others.

However, it is a fact that as a general rule athletes do their best stuff away from home. They're funny that way.

Tickets to the Jackson day dinner at Washington may be had at $100 a plate. And you don't even get the plate.

Old "Hickory" could have lived on the fat of the land for a month on 100 bucks.

That slight upheaval in the clover
Is Andy Jackson turning over.

**Hear! Hear!**

THE greatest after-dinner speech
I ever heard, by heck!
Was a guy who said, when we had fed,
"Hey, boy, bring me the check!"

However, while the $100 nosebags are being passed around the bread line will form on the right as usual.

The employes of Lord Nuffield of London, the wealthiest automobile manufacturer in Great Britain, presented him with an automobile for Christmas.

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The New York Giants of pro football have played to 250,000 persons at home this year.

## GREENLEAF WINS FROM CRANE BY 950 POINTS TO RETAIN HONORS

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 22.—Ralph Greenleaf, who has held the world pocket billiard title 15 times during his long career, has proved once more in his latest title defense that it takes a good man to beat him.

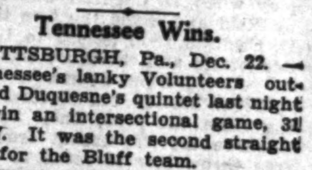
His challenger, Irving Crane of Rochester, was far from good enough in the 1500-point challenge match which ended last night and went down 1500 to 550.

Crane won only two of the 12 blocks. He took his second yesterday afternoon when the champion, who had left an unfinished run of 122 Monday night, missed his first shot and continued to play badly throughout the block. The count was 139 to 116.

Greenleaf recovered his form last night, however, and breezed through the final block to win, 123 to 3, in eight innings. He rattled off a cluster of 43 in the first inning, played safe a few times, then finished off with runs of 25, 12 and 44. Throughout the match the champion averaged 12 balls an inning.

**Tennessee Wins.**

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Dec. 22.—Tennessee's lanky Volunteers outlasted Duquesne's quintet last night to win an intersectional game, 31 to 27. It was the second straight loss for the Bluff team.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# STRONG ILLINOIS NORMAL TEAM DEFEATS BILLIKENS, 34-33

## ST. LOUIS RALLY IN 2ND PERIOD A POINT SHORT IN CLOSE GAME

### Captains Mudd and Baldwin Lead Their Clubs in Scoring—Fifth Victory in Row for Teachers.

By a Special Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

BLOOMINGTON, Ill., Dec. 22.—St. Louis University's Billikens staged a last-half rally that brought them within two points of victory before bowing to a strong Illinois State Normal quintet by the score of 34—33 here last night. It was Normal's fifth straight victory. Capt. Mudd led the Billikens with four baskets, while Capt. Baldwin led Normal with five baskets and three free throws.

St. Louis jumped off to a three-point lead in the first minute of play when D. Cochran was fouled by Reid and made the free throw. D. Cochran then passed to L. Dudenhoeffer and the score was 3—0.

**Normal Starts.**

Triner started the Normal scoring from the pivot line, but D. Cochran hit the basket from the free throw line to retain a three-point lead. L. Dudenhoeffer fouled Beck, who made the throw good. Reid, State Normal forward, dropped one in long from the side, and the score was tied. Then Kavanaugh put the home team out in front by tipping in a rebound and Reid scored on a follow-in. Beck, fouled by A. Dudenhoeffer, sank the free throw.

D. Cochran fouled Reid, and was charged with a technical and he protested the decision. Balding made the technical free throw and the score was 11—5. Triner made a rebound good. Reid brought the score to 15—5 by intercepting a Billiken pass and dribbling the length of the floor to make the basket.

Coach Davidson's team spurted momentarily as Mudd and A. Dudenhoeffer made baskets, but Balding sank one from center to make the score 17—9. Seconds before the half ended, Fleming shot long for a basket, bringing the score to 17—11.

Beginning the second period, the Billikens rallied as Mudd and A. Dudenhoeffer hit long baskets. Balding counted from outside the foul circle.

A double foul meant one point for each team, and Balding sank another long shot to make the score 21—16 in favor of Normal. Kavanaugh scored on a tip-in shot and D. Cochran made a basket from the center of the floor. Triner scored on a follow-in and Mudd hit one long from the side. Mudd again scored from the corner and A. Dudenhoeffer brought the score to 26—24 when he was left uncovered at the basket. Kavanaugh made his free throw good when fouled by A. Dudenhoeffer.

With 10 minutes left to play, Mudd fouled Reid, who made the toss good. Then Mudd scored on a short push-up shot, but W. Cochran fouled Balding and the score was 29—26.

**All Tied Up.**

W. Cochran made a short shot and Hasser sank a free throw to tie the score at 29—all.

Balding fouled Hasser and the Billikens went into the lead, 30—29, but Kavanaugh again tied the score with a free throw. Kavanaugh hit a basket from the side of the floor and Normal again went into the lead. Balding fouled D. Cochran, who made the free throw, and, in return, Balding was fouled and sank the toss retaining the two-point lead for Normal.

With a minute and a half to go, D. Cochran intentionally fouled Balding to get possession of the ball and the throw was good, bringing the score to 33—31. A. Dudenhoeffer fouled Reid, who made the free throw. Just before the gun sounded, L. Dudenhoeffer made a basket from the corner, making the final score 34—33.

### THE BOX SCORE

| ST. LOUIS. | B. | FT. | T. | ILL. NORMAL. | B. | FT. | T. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| D. C'rane f | 2 | 3 | 7 | Blakeman f | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| L. D'ffer f | 3 | 0 | 6 | Triner f | 3 | 0 | 6 |
| Hasser f | 0 | 2 | 2 | Hobbs f | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| O'Sullivan c | 0 | 0 | 0 | Roberts f | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| A. D'ffer g | 3 | 0 | 6 | Reid f | 1 | 2 | 4 |
| W. C'rane g | 1 | 0 | 2 | Lacey f | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Fleming g | 1 | 0 | 2 | Kav'augh c | 3 | 2 | 8 |
| Mudd g | 4 | 0 | 8 | Balding g | 5 | 3 | 13 |
| | | | | Beck g | 0 | 3 | 3 |
| Totals | 14 | 5 | 33 | Riddle g | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| | | | | Totals | 12 | 10 | 34 |

Referee, Haussler (Illinois Wesleyan); umpire, Millard (Illinois).

## SILVER SEALS MEET CLUB PLANTATION IN CLASSIC LEAGUE PLAY

The Silver Seals, leading the Classic Bowling League by five games, will meet the Club Plantation team in a league match tonight at the Gravois Recreation.

Other matches on the schedule, starting at 9:15 o'clock, are between the second-place Budweisers and the Allhoffs; the third-place Mystery Men and the Witek Florists, and the Hermanns and Say It With Flowers.

## Racing Results and Entries

### At Tropical Park.

**Weather clear; track fast.**

FIRST RACE—Six furlongs:
Witan (T. P. Martin) 10.10 4.70 3.70
Trinchera (Lindberg)— — — 4.70 3.70
Bonsoir (Jackie)— — — — — —6.10
Time, 1:12. Ilchester, Thomas C., Sun Mica, Richstrike, Wise King, Martin Barton, Lucky Jean also ran.

SECOND RACE—Six furlongs:
Night Raven (Wall) —15.80 8.70 4.30
Sun Antioch (Schmidl) — — 5.90 3.20
Absconder (Sarno) — — — — 2.90
Time—1:11 3-5. Transmuting, Addis, Tobacco, Toni, Thumbs Down, Squawker, Combatant and Narise also ran.

THIRD RACE—Six furlongs:
Lali (Eccard) — — —11.90 6.70 4.30
Taka Walk (Barba) — — — 25.20 12.00
Secret Chatter (T. P. Martin) — — 4.40
Time, 1:13 3-5. Ida King, Fairemus, Captain Byam, Good Actor, Merry Kin, Amgood, Bynums Run, Whitehaven Gal and Flag Song also ran.

FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs:
Take On (Williams) —53.20 27.00 13.70
Sought After (Dufford)— — 7.60 5.60
Zump (Bierman) — — — — — 8.10
Time—1:12 1-5. Westy's Hero, Sparkling, My Buddy, Gold Hat, Dohoev and Evening Time also ran.

FIFTH RACE—Five and one-half furlongs:
Sir Oracle (V. Thompson) 4.00 2.60 2.30
Knowing (S. Young)— — — 3.00 2.60
Marmara (R. Dotter) — — — — 2.90
Time, 1:04 4-5. Couleedam, Our Willie, Ferryboat, Dark Sun, Lemont, Robert L. and Kenyon C. also ran.

SIXTH RACE—Six furlongs:
Crop (Knott) — — —13.20 6.00 6.10
Scottish Mary (Hartle) — — 5.60 4.70
Sugaboot (Dabson) — — — — 13.00
Time, 1:12. Hypo, Judge Hasten, Buddies, Salavina, Bob Charlie, Aftermath, Maebob, Brown Marvel and Paques also ran.

**SCRATCHES.**

First race—R. Pinchot, Jayvee. Second—Inscription. Fourth—Join Us, Bright Sox, Helmor. Seventh—Forest B.

### At Fair Grounds.

**Weather cloudy; track fast.**

FIRST RACE—Six furlongs:
Good Omen (Cowley) 16.60 5.60 3.20
Bachelor Dinner (Vedder) — 2.60 2.20
White Cockade (Mojena) — — — 2.60
Time, 1:12. Winning Chance, Lady Montrose, Visigoth and Hastinola also ran.

SECOND RACE—Five and one-half furlongs:
Epernay (Mojena)— —12.60 6.20 4.20
Sun Dora (W. L. Johnson) — 4.60 3.40
Skippy McGee (Morgan)— — — — 3.80
Time, 1:07. Miss Balko, Wichita Man, Tarping, Little Mike, Ottoman, Yetive, B. Eighty, Social Error and Poppinalong also ran.

THIRD RACE—Six furlongs:
Little Tramp (Vedder) 8.60 4.40 3.40
Miss Monte (Carter) — — 20.20 10.20
Lee Walker (O'Malley) — — — 4.00
Time, 1:14 2-5. Sweet Bert, War Jest, Goldkin, Prince Placide, Trans Wynn, Which Blood, Bay Eagle, Chicken Lady and Speedy Emily also ran.

FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs:
Novelette (W. L. Johnson) 12.40 6.20 4.40
a-Wee Call (Morgan) — — — 6.40 4.20
Dolly Val (Morris) — — — — 2.80
Time, 1:13. Powers Gouraud, Doug Brashear, Rayee, Introduction, Bob C., Chief Menteur, Purple Wrack and a-Bustle also ran.
a-Mrs. Baldwin and A. C. Bostwick entry.

**SCRATCHES.**

First race—Lost Friend, Idle Midget, Virginia J., Dead Calm. Second—Tiny Comet, Sage Girl, Old Dominion, Jules Lazard, Tonagar, Jackknife. Third—Supreme Kiss, Avenue S., Temperamental, Dance Time, Elktonia Maid, Neil Jay. Fourth—By Gum, Sunny Mac. Fifth—In Memory, Servant Pride, Teeter Totter, Nedrow, Pretty Susan, Thistle Jock. Seventh—Sister Jean.

**Eldorado Wins in Overtime.**

ELDORADO, Ill., Dec. 22.—Eldorado High School defeated Carmi, 27 to 25, last night in a game that required two overtime periods.

### At Fair Grounds.

First race, purse $800, claiming, three-year-olds and up, six furlongs:

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| *Gold Mesh | 103 | Dead Calm | 106 |
| Salaam | 106 | Black Rhapsody | 115 |
| *Panic Relief | 102 | Idle Midet | 112 |
| *Porcelius | 109 | | |

Second race, purse $700, claiming, three-year-olds, six furlongs:

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| *Cheer Star | 105 | *Hi Vic | 108 |
| Fool Em | 113 | Sackawa | 108 |
| Royal Palace | 113 | *Night Editor | 108 |
| *Palatine Belle | 103 | *Southern Miss | 103 |
| Rough Creek | 111 | Miss Wichita | 108 |
| *Grace Grier | 103 | *Aurangzeb | 106 |
| *Just Dun | 108 | *Stormy Rhythm | 106 |
| Gumption | 108 | | |
| Margaret Jones | 108 | *Wenet | 108 |
| Pay Check | 111 | | |

Third race, purse $700, claiming, three-year-olds and up, six furlongs:

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| *John Werring | 109 | *Miles Standish | 109 |
| *Shoteur | 109 | *Dan Skilling | 109 |
| *Pennant Bearer | 109 | *Terrier | 109 |
| | | *Blind Star | 109 |
| *Lucky Quest | 106 | *Polywhisk | 109 |
| Gladess | 111 | *Ted Husing | 109 |
| *Sailorman | 107 | *Upholder | 109 |
| Bright Don | 114 | *Hoosier Friend | 106 |
| Redley | 114 | *Best Man | 109 |
| Bland Hilltop | 114 | | |

Fourth race, purse $700, allowances, two-year-olds, maidens and winners of one race, fillies, six furlongs:

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| a-Bunny Baby | 114 | Coloration | 114 |
| Elktonia Maid | 110 | b-Temperamental | 114 |
| Loyal Cohort | 110 | | |
| Copper Kitty | 114 | Apropos | 110 |
| Sheba | 110 | Hinkey Dink | 110 |
| Wild Phara | 114 | Pedant | 114 |
| Feng Lu | 110 | Aba | 110 |
| Miss Lampley | 114 | a-Miss Sis | 110 |
| Night Chase | 110 | b-Lady Kan | 110 |
| Silver Trace | 114 | | |

a-E. K. Bryson and J. Shouse entry.
b-C. C. Lemons entry.

Fifth race, purse $700, claiming, three-year-olds and up, one mile and 70 yards:

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| *Weelukie | 105 | *Gallant Pat | 110 |
| Urchin | 112 | *Spickeen | 107 |
| *Captain Jinks | 110 | Vitamin B. | 115 |
| *Los Molinos | 105 | Acautaw | 115 |
| Captain Logan | 112 | *Photography | 110 |
| Racketeer | 112 | Union | 110 |
| *Miss Joker | 107 | *Dame Grundy | 107 |
| Spur Flower | 112 | Golden Fate | 115 |
| *Masked Coelia | 102 | *My Goodness | 102 |

Sixth race, The Wistaria, purse $900, allowances, three-year-olds and up, one mile and seventy yards.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Buster Boy | 106 | Dead Calm | 100 |
| Rough Diamond | 100 | bCarl S. | 100 |
| | | Virginia J. | 100 |
| aChance Ray | 106 | bCristate | 103 |
| Whipowill | 106 | Porcelius | 103 |

aMrs. E. Haughton and J. R. Bower entry.
bMrs. J. Cherney entry.

Seventh race, purse $700, claiming, three-year-olds and up, one mile and a sixteenth

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| *Threatening | 106 | *Jewelry | 103 |
| *Anhelation | 106 | Night Flower | 108 |
| *Merry Freda | 103 | *Mad Career | 109 |
| *Amasin | 106 | Durwrack | 110 |
| *The Mauler | 106 | *Miss Ritz | 103 |
| *Dunrock | 106 | Busy Daughter | 108 |
| Hymarque | 108 | *Browbeaten | 103 |
| *Busby | 106 | *Mouse Trap | 106 |
| Zelady | 104 | Night Ray | 108 |

Eighth race, sub, purse $700, claiming, three-year-olds and up, six furlongs.

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|---|---|---|---|
| *Justic Joe | 109 | *Empress Yvonne | 106 |
| *Rosireigh | 106 | | |
| *Gibby's Choice | 109 | *Fortuity | 104 |
| *Transen | 109 | Edri | 111 |
| *Nedrow | 109 | Clasp | 111 |
| *Sayloma | 106 | *Grey Broom | 106 |
| Petard | 114 | Major Greenock | 114 |
| *Pretty Susan | 106 | *Pot Au Mint | 109 |
| Zowie | 111 | Overshoes | 120 |
| | | *Zekiel | 115 |

*Apprentice allowance claimed.

### At Tropical Park.

First Race—Purse $700, claiming, three-year-olds and up, six furlongs:

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Johnnycake | 116 | Osirando | 116 |
| *Thursland | 109 | *Many Moons | 108 |
| Sablin | 116 | Imperial Polly | 111 |
| Beaver Lake | 116 | Robert S. | 116 |
| *Euryalus | 111 | *Lernana | 106 |
| Capt. Jerry | 116 | *Miss Di Mie | 106 |

Second Race—Purse $700, claiming, three-year-olds and up, six furlongs:

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| *Antartic | 108 | *Dorothy Hicks | 108 |
| Jezreel | 113 | Count Rae | 116 |
| Gold Buckle | 116 | *Arthur B. | 109 |
| *Musical Jack | 109 | *Kitty's Rival | 106 |
| Newmont | 114 | Flying Victory | 113 |
| Charmed Eyes | 113 | *Chance Queen | 108 |

Third Race—Purse $700, maiden two-year-old fillies, five and one-half furlongs:

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Bay Stout | 115 | Petit Fours | 115 |
| *Jane K. | 110 | Taxi | 115 |
| Happy Code | 115 | Milk Dipper | 115 |
| Lady Elgin | 115 | Sickle Lass | 115 |
| Principessa | 115 | *Corveta | 110 |
| Star Mint | 115 | Nance | 115 |

Fourth Race—Purse $700, claiming, two-year-olds, six furlongs:

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Mintson | 114 | Phil Gough | 113 |
| Sure Cloud | 111 | Singing Slave | 113 |
| Posterity | 114 | Genevra M. | 111 |

Fifth Race—Florida City Handicap, purse $900, three-year-olds and up, five and one-half furlongs:

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Lady Higloss | 107 | | 110 |
| Superwick | 105 | Headin Home | [illegible] |
| Bright and Early | | Joyride | 108 |

Sixth Race—Purse $800, claiming, three-year-olds, six furlongs:

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| *Max B. | 106 | Honey Cloud | 116 |
| Tonianna | 105 | *Egmont | 103 |
| *Bain Marie | 103 | Wam | 109 |
| Moon Harvest | 110 | Danke Schon | 108 |
| Gene Wagers | 108 | | |

Seventh Race—Purse $700, claiming, three-year-olds and up, one and one-sixteenth mile:

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Paravant | 116 | Rush Play | 113 |
| Treasure Ship | 113 | Pompish | 106 |
| *Later On | 111 | *This Way | 108 |
| *Yenoc | 111 | Kievs Pennant | 116 |
| Espinaca | 116 | Hoosiers Pride | 113 |
| Kimpton | 113 | Seawick | 110 |

Eighth Race—Purse $700, claiming, three-year-olds and up, one and one-sixteenth mile:

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Lum Joy | 113 | *Starwick | 104 |
| *Kindred Spirit | 111 | Master Bean | 113 |
| Dev | 112 | *Putzen | 107 |
| Watonga | 113 | *Escolee | 108 |
| Some Boy | 116 | Sleepy Joe | 113 |
| Hammel | 113 | *Sir Boston | 108 |

Substitute Race—Purse $700, claiming, three-year-olds and up, six furlongs:

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Bank Holiday | 116 | Say Do | 116 |
| *Prince Danny | 111 | *Mantados | 111 |
| *Exhort | 109 | Winged Victory | 114 |
| Primer | 116 | Rebekah | 113 |
| *High Treason | 108 | *Tomah | 111 |
| *Miss Chicro | 108 | Diverting | 113 |

*Apprentice allowance claimed.

### RACING SELECTIONS By LOUISVILLE TIMES

**At Tropical Park.**

1—Capt. Jerry, Thursland, Sablin.
2—Count Rae, Newmont, Gold Buckle.
3—Bay Stout, Star Mint, Sickle Lass.
4—Posterity, Generva M., Sure Cloud.
5—LADY HIGLOSS, Bright and Early, Headin Home.
6—Tonianna, Gene Wagers, Honey Cloud.
7—Espinaca, Yenoc, Later On.
8—Kindred Spirit, Starwick, Putzen.
9—High Treason, Bank Holiday, Winged Victory.

**At Fair Grounds.**

1—Porcelius, Black Rhapsody, Panic Relief.
2—Gumption, Hi Vic, Rough Creek.
3—Redley, Sailorman, Terrier.
4—Wild Phara, Tempermental, Copper Kitty.
5—Spur Flower, Captain Logan, Golden Fate.
6—ROUGH DIAMOND, Carl S., Whipowill.
7—The Mauler, Jewelry, Durwrack.
8—Nedrow, Zowie, Fortuity.

## BOB QUINN'S SON NAMED ATHLETIC DIRECTOR AT PROVIDENCE COLLEGE

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Dec. 22.—Rev. Robert G. Quinn, O. P., son of President Bob Quinn of the Boston Bees, National League baseball club, was appointed director of athletics at Providence College yesterday.

A three-letter man at St. Louis University and Boston College, Father Quinn succeeds the Rev. Edward H. Schmidt, O. P., who served as head of the athletic department of the college for three years.

First duty of the new athletic director will be to select a new football coach to replace Joseph P. McGee, who resigned recently.

## WAR ADMIRAL TO BE SHIPPED TO MIAMI FOR $50,000 STAKE

By the Associated Press.

MIAMI, Fla., Dec. 22. — Charlie McLennan, racing secretary at Hialeah Park, has received a letter from George Conway saying that he would ship five horses belonging to Samuel D. Riddle to Miami. The car will leave the Riddle farm next Wednesday, Dec. 29, and War Admiral, the triple crown winner, will be in the shipment. The Kentucky Derby winner will be pointed for the $50,000 Widener Challenge Cup run on the last day of the Hialeah Park meeting, March 5.

According to plans of the stable, War Admiral will make his final appearance under silks in this rich stake. Of course these plans will be changed should the son of Man o' War be defeated in the Widener Cup. War Admiral is slated to be retired to the stud next year.

The Riddle colt will pack top weight in the Hialeah Park feature. He is slated to pack 130 pounds, which is one pound more than the West Coast handicapper put on him in the $100,000 Santa Anita Handicap. McLennan is hoping for a big field in the stake. However, should War Admiral train well, the field will probably be small, with Caballero II, Thorson, Burning Star, Infantry and one or two others opposing the Riddle champion.

There is a four-way tie in the race for riding honors at Tropical Park. Eddie Arcaro, Mike Sarno, Irving Anderson and Carroll Bierman locked with two winners each on the first two days of the Coral Gables meeting.

Bob Friend is doing wonderful missionary work in behalf of the Havana meeting. He will wield the flag at Oriental Park this winter.

Mrs. Emil Denemark of Chicago, whose horses won nearly half of the feature races at Tropical and Hialeah Parks last winter, apparently is headed for another good season. After scratching Orientalist from the Inaugural Handicap, she sent out the son of Wise Counsellor to whip seven other three-year-old sprinters in yesterday's top event. For his first victory in nine outing this year, Orientalist paid $21.90 after running the distance in 1:12 flat.

Frank Catrone, who rode with some success when Harry F. Sinclair's Rancocas Stable was one of the best, has branched out as a trainer. The Saratoga horesman has only one horse, Mama's Boy, but is in the market for more. The horse will run in his mother's name.

R. A. "Bob" Smith, New York trainer who conditioned Cavalcade and other well-known horses for Mrs. Dodge Sloane a few years back, has four thoroughbreds at Hialeah Park. Smith, now owner as well as trainer, has Steepletop, a three-year-old; Gayset and Ninki, two-year-old colts, and a yearling.

### COLLYER'S SELECTIONS

**At Tropical Park.**

1—Thursland, Many Moons, Euryalus.
2—Gold Buckle, Musical Jack, Flying Victory.
3—Nance, Taxi, Sickle Lass.
4—Genevrra M, Posterity, Singing Slave.
5—Headin' Home, Lady Higloss, Bright and Early.
6—Honey Cloud, Danke Schon, Max B.
7—ESPINACA, Yenoc, Hoosier's Pride.
8—Escolee, Starwick, Some Boy.
9 (Sub)—Rebekah, Exhort, Prince Danny.

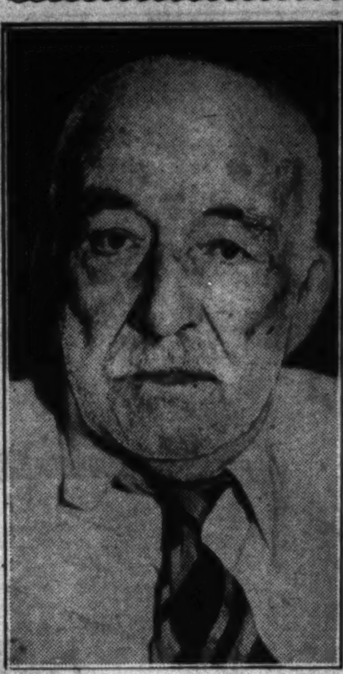
**At Fair Grounds.**

1—Gold Mesh, Black Rhapsody, Panic Relief.
2—Foolem, Sacakawa, Just Dun.
3—Terrier, Redley, John Werring.
4—Bryson-Shouse entry, Wild Phara, Copper Kitty.
5—GALLANT PAT, Acautaw, Captain Jinks.
6—Haughton-Bower entry, Buster Boy, Porcelius.
7—Jewelry, Browbeaten, Merry Freda.
8 (Sub)—Nedrow, Transen, Zekiel.
MOST UROBABLE WINNER—Espinaca.
COLLYER'S SYSTEM HORSE—Gallant Pat.
BEST PARLAY—Nance, Gallant Pat, Gold Mesh, to place.

**Increase Stadium Capacity.**

Remodeling of Gilmore Stadium in Hollywood will give the new Pacific Coast League club a capacity of 24,500.

### Noted Boxer Dead



JAKE KILRAIN

## Athletics Will Be Much Better, Mack Believes

By the Associated Press.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 22.—Nearing his seventy-fifth birthday, Connie Mack, veteran manager of the Philadelphia Athletics, said today that baseball is a "grand, old game."

"If you had to start over, Mr. Mack," he was asked, "would you be a doctor, a lawyer, a merchant, an actor, a playwright, an aviator, or what?"

"I'd go into the business I did—baseball," replied the "old gentleman," who will soon start his fifty-fifth season on the diamond. He will be 75 tomorrow.

"With the good and bad, it's a grand old game. I hope it will always remain so." he said.

"Do you know," he continued, "I get a thrill every now and then when I pick up the paper and see where some old ball player is still around and active. When you've been around as long as I have you feel good over things like that."

"When I've had to sell players—top-notch players, that is—it has broken my heart every time. But conditions sometimes compel you to do things you don't want to do."

Looking ahead to next year, Connie thinks the Athletics will be "better, much better."

Last year the Athletics led the league during the first part of the season, then went into a slump, ending the year in seventh place.

## JAKE KILRAIN, FAMOUS BOXER, DIES AT 78

By the Associated Press.

QUINCY, Mass., Dec. 22.—Jake Kilrain, 78, old-time heavyweight boxer, died today after a long illness.

The pugilist, whose last memorable fight was a 75-round bout with John L. Sullivan in 1889—the last championship bare-knuckle fight—had lived here for years with his two sons. He also leaves several grandchildren.

His real name was John J. Killion, although very few but intimate friends knew him except by the name under which he fought.

Kilrain had been ill for the past year with a diabetic condition. He had been confined to a hospital for the past six months.

In recent years Kilrain had been employed at the Fore River shipyards as a night watchman.

His fistic fame began during the '80s. One of his outstanding fights was with Dynamite Joe Lennon, whom he knocked out in the eleventh round.

At the end of his ring career he obtained employment in the Park Department of suburban Somerville. Subsequently he went to Fore River.

Kilrain was born in Greenpoint, Long Island, N. Y., Feb. 9, 1859, four months after John L. Sullivan was born in Boston.

When he was 20 he started his athletic career as an oarsman. He won a junior sculling championship race at the National Regatta within a few years.

He was disqualified, however, because he was a professional boxer.

In 1880 he took up fighting exclusively. In 1883 he defeated John Allen and fought a draw with George Godfrey in three rounds.

His two sons, George C. and James, both of Quincy, go by the name of Kilrain. A daughter died three years ago. Mrs. Kilrain died in 1932.

The fighting in Kilrain's day was a far cry from modern pugilism. Boxing was illegal in many parts of the country and fights had to be held in private clubs and barns to evade the police.

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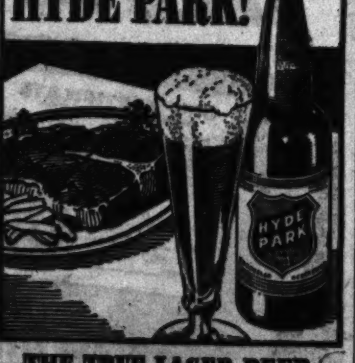

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He is survived by his widow, his father and two sisters.

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**Son to Designate Gifts.**

The will of the elder Mallinckrodt, who died in 1928, left his estate in trust with the St. Louis Union Trust Co., stipulating that the money was to go to charitable, religious or educational institutions to be designated by his son. As an alternative, the will provided that the fund might be preserved, wholly or partly, and any part of it not distributed at his son's direction should go, after the son's death, to Washington University and St. Luke's Hospital, in equal shares.

The Post-Dispatch was informed today the younger Mallinckrodt had made no plans for distribution of the estate. He declined to discuss the matter, referring inquiries to Isaac H. Orr, board chairman of the St. Louis Union Trust Co. Orr said there had been no discussion of the immediate distribution of the estate, and mentioned the alternative provided in the will, that the estate might be preserved intact until after the death of the younger Mallinckrodt.

**Government Claimed $61,000.**

The Government's tax claim was for $61,171 as additional taxes on Mallinckrodt's 1920 income. With interest, the claim amounted to well over $100,000 when United States District Judge Charles B. Davis found for the Government more than three years ago. His decision, however, was reversed by the United States Circuit Court of Appeals, which ordered a new trial. This was averted by the settlement.

Kirby told a Post-Dispatch reporter the settlement was arranged about six months ago. He declined to disclose the terms, but the Probate Court was informed the settlement was for less than the original claim. The claim was based on the Government's disallowance of deductions which Mallinckrodt took for corporation stocks sold at a loss to a trust fund which he established, in 1918, for the benefit of his son.

Another tax claim, pending against that trust fund, was heard by the Board of Tax Appeals at its session here last October. In that action the Government is seeking a possible maximum of $2,018,388 against the trust and the Jane Holding Co., the stock of which is owned by the trust. This claim is based on cancelation by the trust of a $2,890,000 debt owed by the holding company to the trust, on the theory that cancelation of the debt increased the value of the Jane company stock.

Before his death Edward Mallinckrodt Sr. distributed the major portion of his property, estimated at about $15,000,000. The $2,000,000 left to charity was virtually all that remained for distribution by his will.

## ALFRED N. ENGLE WEDS MRS. HELEN LUKENS

### St. Louis Horseman's Bride Former Wife of New York Auto Dealer.

Alfred N. Engle of Kirkwood, who for many years has been prominent in the St. Louis Horse Show Association, and Mrs. Helen Lukens were married yesterday at the home of Harry J. Burkhardt of Schultz road, Kirkwood. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. George M. Gibson Jr., pastor of the First Congregational Church, Webster Groves.

The bride, who is 43 years old, is the divorced wife of Charles Lukens, New York automobile dealer. Engle, 56, was divorced last February by his first wife, Mrs. Anabel T. Engle, who received a settlement of a $10,000 home on Manchester road near Berry road, $150 a month for support, and was made beneficiary of a $15,000 life insurance policy.

The pair will make their home at Evergreen Lane Farms, 400 Miriam avenue, Kirkwood. The bride resided at the Branscome Hotel, 5370 Pershing avenue. Engle is connected with John R. Evans & Co., 1604 Locust street.

## INSULIN TREATMENTS RESTORE MINDS OF SIX PATIENTS

### Eastern Oklahoma State Hospital Sends Them Home to Enjoy Christmas.

By the Associated Press.

VINITA, Ok., Dec. 22.—Dr. Felix Adams, superintendent of the Eastern Oklahoma State Hospital, said yesterday that six of eight patients who have been given insulin "shock" treatments, for dementia praecox, have improved to the point that they may return to their homes for Christmas and may be permitted to stay indefinitely. One of them he says has been cured, and the others, while not quite normal, are able to make "social adjustment," he said.

The man cured is the second to recover fully at the institution with the aid of the new treatment. He has been in the hospital five years.

## STATE STUDYING LACLEDE SURVEY ON NATURAL GAS

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penses over a period of 10 years. It was estimated the amortization charge, including interest, would be $120,003 a year for that period.

The report stated the company had 187,756 "active meter" accounts as of last Nov. 30, including 173,611 domestic users, all of these consumers being within St. Louis.

**Bigger Market Needed.**

Discussing possible markets for increased use of gas if the proposed change-over was made, the report stated it was obvious from the studies made "that to merely displace the domestic load with natural gas as it exists at present in St. Louis does not offer sufficient volume to result in a saving to the company or its customers, and would be an uneconomic venture."

The report in this connection stated any expansion of business would be largely in the development of use of gas for house heating. The report contained several tables on increases in the use of gas, based on various estimates as to a possible increase in the number of house heating customers.

A brief preface to the report contained the following statement:

"Ever alert to the needs of the community and anxious at all times to serve its customers in the most efficient manner at the lowest cost possible, the new management of the Laclede Gas Light Co., at its suggestion, has caused to be conducted a thorough and impartial inquiry into the cost of supplying gas service to the consumers of the City of St. Louis."

**Outsiders Made Gas Study.**

To obtain an unbiased report, it was said, the company had employed two engineers of national reputation, H. O. Loebell and F. C. Armbruster, to conduct the study.

The investigation as to the feasibility of distributing straight natural gas in St. Louis and St. Louis County was instituted by the Public Service Commission on its own motion in March, 1935. The commission named as parties to the inquiry the City of St. Louis, St. Louis County, Laclede Gas Light Co., St. Louis County Gas Co., Mississippi River Fuel Corporation, Panhandle Eastern Pipe Line Co., and the McNab Oil & Gas Co.

The McNab company unsuccessfully sought a franchise to sell natural gas in St. Louis. Hearings were held at intervals from March through July, then were continued indefinitely pending compilation of additional information.

## TO EDIT MISSOURI GUIDE BOOK

### Mrs. Sara Lockwood Williams to Supervise W P A Project.

JEFFERSON CITY, Dec. 22.—Mrs. Sara Lockwood Williams of St. Louis, widow of Dr. Walter Williams, former president of the University of Missouri, was named by State Administration Matthew S. Murray yesterday as editorial supervisor of the Missouri Guide Book, a State boow being compiled as a W P A project.

Mrs. Williams, a former member of the university's journalism faculty, will "touch up the final write-ups," said Murray. At one time, 120 writers were employed on the project. The book probably will be off the press in two months, Murray said.

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SHERRY WINE Carmen, 5-Year, Fifth 1.49
DUBONNET Wine, Fifth 2.49
CUSINIER Cognac, 15 Years, 3 Crown, Fifth 3.49
ST. JULIEN Claret Wine, Fifth 1.09
ST. ESTEPHE Claret Wine, Fifth 1.09
CHABLIS White Burgundy, Fifth 1.49
HOCHEIMER 1927 Wine, Fifth 1.79
POMMARD Burgundy, Fifth 1.49
GRAVES Imported Wine, Fifth 1.39
SAUTERNE B. Martin Wine, Fifth 1.49

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## Cleveland Labor Leaders Charged With Extortion

Associated Press Wirephoto.

*From left, JOHN E. McGEE, JAMES P. McDONNELL, DONALD A. CAMPBELL and MOSE DONLEY.*

*THEY entered pleas of not guilty yesterday to charges of exacting "tribute" on threats to tie up store remodeling jobs.*

### Accused of Spanking Girl, 17.

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Ind., Dec. 22.—Grant Scales, principal of the Alfordsville High School, charged with spanking a girl pupil with a heavy paddle, was indicted yesterday by a grand jury on assault and battery charges. Sheriff Milton H. Fitzgerald said Mary Ginder, 17 years old, daughter of George Ginder, county commissioner, charged that Scales beat her until the paddle broke. Scales was free under bond of $250.

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## MEETING TO SUPPORT LUDLOW REFERENDUM ACT PLANNED

### Group Here Urges Constitutional Amendment on War Be Passed.

A St. Louis group supporting the Ludlow war referendum resolution, working under auspices of the Peace Action Committee of Missouri, endeavored today to arrange for a mass meeting in support of the proposal. The Ludlow measure, proposed for submission to the states as an amendment to the Federal Constitution, provides that except in the event of invasion and attack, Congress shall not have authority to declare war without approval of a majority of all votes cast in a national referendum. President Roosevelt and former Gov. Alfred M. Landon, Republican presidential nominee in 1936, have united in opposing the plan.

The temporary committee organized in support of the movement includes the Rev. Dr. Truman B. Douglass, Mrs. Charles W. Rodewald, W. F. Lewis, Prof. Stuart A. Queen, the Rev. C. Walker Cummings, Arno J. Haack, the Rev. Dr. George M. Gibson, and Don Ellinger, secretary of the Peace Action Committee. The support of labor and veterans' organizations will be sought.

## BLOWN-OUT FUSE CUTS OFF MUNICIPAL COURTS LIGHTS

### Elevator Service Disrupted; Judges Call 15-Minute Recess Till Power Is Restored.

The Municipal Courts building lights went out at 10 a. m. today when a main fuse on the power line supplying the building with electricity blew out at City Hall. Elevator service was disrupted and courts were forced to recess for about 15 minutes until the power was restored.

One elevator on the Market street side of the building was stalled between the first and second floors, temporarily trapping the operator and two women. The women, employed at the building, became impatient at the delay and were lifted out of the elevator to the second floor by other employes.

Laura Jones, Negro, 3134 Lucas avenue, suffered injuries to her side when she fell down a flight of six stairs leading from the third to the second floor. She had decided to walk down the stairs because the elevators were not operating.

### Killed in Mining Machine.

HARRISBURG, Ill., Dec. 22.—Charles Stallons of Carrier Mills, Ill., was caught in a cutting machine and killed yesterday in the Bluebird strip mine.

## NEW AUTO SALES SHOW GAIN

### Internal Revenue Bureau Reports Increase in Car Tax Receipts.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22.—Sales of new automobiles, trucks and parts improved in November, the Internal Revenue Bureau reported today on the basis of tax returns. Federal taxes on these items were about $650,000 more than in November, 1936, although for the five months of July to November, inclusive, taxes were nearly $4,000,000 less than last year.

The bureau reported increased collections from nearly all revenue sources in November, compared with a year ago. Taxes which declined were on securities, tires, chewing gum, matches and toilet preparations.

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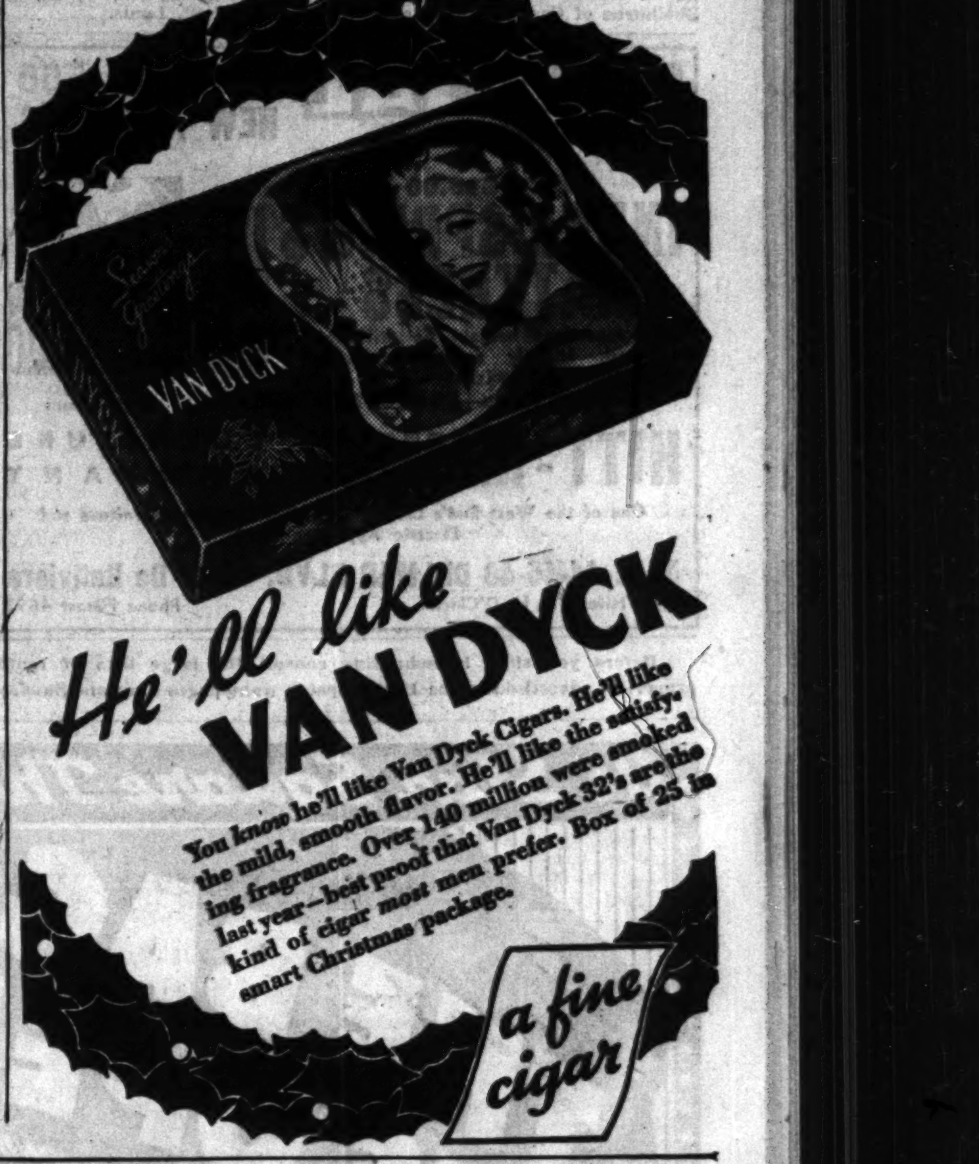

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## NEW ARCHEOLOGY OFFICERS

**Dr. J. W. Wrench of Columbia Heads Missouri Society.**

By the Associated Press.

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Trustees elected include: W. K. Denslow of Trenton, J. B. L. Davis of Marshall, A. H. Burress of Amity, H. I. Player of Kansas City, J. M. Shippee of North Kansas City, J. J. Sullivan of Osceola, W. M. Swift of Billings, R. G. Beezley of Steelville, C. A. Noland of Monroe City, C. G. Morrison of Cape Girardeau, P. F. Titterington, D. K. Greger and Will Hall of St. Louis.

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## COAL COMMISSION CLAIMS INTRASTATE RATE AUTHORITY

**Declares Such Shipments Have an Influence on Interstate Prices.**

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22.—The Bituminous Coal Commission ruled today all intrastate shipments of coal in Maryland and Illinois were subject to regulation under the Coal Control Act. The commission based its ruling on a contention that intrastate shipments had a direct effect on interstate coal sales.

John Carson, consumers' counsel of the commission, assailed the commission last night in a statement that said:

"Our anxiety for the success of this democratic approach (the Guffey Act plan of price-fixing) to the solution of an enormously difficult industrial and economic problem spurs our determination to see to it that the democratic method be adhered to.

"It cannot be adhered to if the commission persists in keeping secret everything it has done from the moment it took over the coordination of the prices proposed by the district (operators') boards to the moment it promulgated the results."

### Kills Wife and Her Mother.

By the Associated Press.

HILLSDALE, Mich., Dec. 22.—Clinton Brown, 45 years old, shot and killed his wife, Rena, 43, and her mother, Mrs. Alice M. Curtis, 77, last night in a domestic quarrel which police said was due to Brown's jealousy. Brown shot himself in the chest. He was under guard in a hospital today.

## CHICAGO PREPARES TO LICENSE 'BOOKIES'

**Council Committee Approves Ordinance Fixing Fees for Taking Bets Up to $5000.**

By the Associated Press.

CHICAGO, Dec. 22.—An ordinance legalizing horse-race betting establishments was approved by the City Council's Finance Committee yesterday and amid claims of illegality and predictions of passage, it was sent to the full Council for a vote today.

The prime purpose of the legislation was to raise at least $2,000,000 of the $2,700,000 needed to restore depression pay cuts to 18,000 municipal employes.

It was designed to license "pari-mutuel brokers" to accept wagers on horses and telegraph them to the race tracks.

Proponents predicted the measure would win approval of the majority of the Aldermen with no more than nine of the 50 Council members voting against it. The vote of the Finance Committee was unanimous.

### Provisions for Licensing.

The principal points of the ordinance, drafted with an eye to elimination of the furtive bookmakers who no whandle bets in a wide range of supposedly sub rosa resorts, are these:

A person, company or corporation, on meeting requirements and paying a fee ranging from $1000 to $5000 a year, can obtain a license from the City Collector.

Licenses will be issued (one to a customer) to citizens of the United States of "good character and reputation," who have resided in Chicago for at least two years. Excluded as proprietor or patron will be minors, persons of "ill repute," and persons who have been convicted of a felony or a misdemeanor involving "decency or morality."

No broker may establish his shop within 500 feet of schools, churches or similar institutions or in zoned residential districts.

Sale of liquor and operation on Sunday are prohibited.

Annual license fees are fixed at $5000 in zone "A," embracing the loop and bounded by the Chicago River on the north and west, the lake on the east and Roosevelt road (Twelfth street) on the south; $3000 in zone "B," made up of 30 business districts on the south, west and north sides; $1000 in zone "C," various commercial streets away from the main business and shopping centers.

### Mayor Hopes for Court Test.

Mayor Edward J. Kelly, a proponent of the ordinance, expressed the hope its legality would be tested in the courts. After it has been in operation, he added, popular opinion of the system could be ascertained in a referendum. He contended it would rid the trade of hoodlums.

Meanwhile, the Civic Federation and Bureau of Public Efficiency said such "obviously doubtful revenues" might invalidate the 1938 budget. It added: "The Attorney-General (of Illinois) has said the plan is illegal."

It suggested that the city economize, instead of imposing license levies, by trimming the payroll.

## 2000 NAMES SUGGESTED FOR LION QUINTUPLETS

**Names of Dionnes Can't Be Used Because Three of Cubs Are Males.**

Many persons have made the obvious suggestion that the five lion cubs born recently at the St. Louis Zoo be named after the Dionne quintuplets, George E. Dieckman, president of the St. Louis Zoological Society, said today. However, the fact that three of the cubs are males whereas the Dionne quintuplets are all girls, is against adoption of the suggestion.

Thus far about 2000 suggestions have been received in the contest which will close Dec. 31. After that a committee headed by Herman E. Mauch, former member of the Board of Education, and including George P. Vierheller, zoo director; Park Commissioner Joseph J. Mestres, will pick the names. Residents in either the United States or Canada are eligible. A $50 prize will be paid for the suggestion adopted by the committee.

## WOMAN PEDDLER HIT BY AUTO

**Accident Happens at Grand Boulevard and Cote Brilliante Avenue.**

Mary Metzger, 66 years old, a notions peddler, was seriously injured when struck by an automobile while trundling her pushcart at Grand boulevard and Cote Brilliante avenue at 1 o'clock this morning. At City Hospital she was pronounced suffering from fractures of the skull and pelvis. Police did not learn her address.

Joseph Evola, a barber, 3840 Greer avenue, told police he was driving behind a taxicab which suddenly swerved, and he struck the woman and her pushcart.

## HOME RESIDENT HELD NOT DISQUALIFIED FOR PENSION

**Illinois Circuit Judge Issues Writ Restoring Woman to Place on Old Age List.**

By the Associated Press.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Dec. 22.—Holding that residence in an old people's home does not disqualify a person for old age assistance, Circuit Judge L. E. Stone issued a writ of mandamus today directing that Mrs. Mary C. Freeman of Coles County be restored her $15-a-month pension.

The writ, which was directed against Director of Public Welfare A. L. Bowen and John C. Weigel, acting superintendent of old age assistance, sustains the contention of Attorney-General Kerner on the point. The Supreme Court has never ruled on the issue. Mrs. Freeman received her pension from July 1, 1936, until Aug. 13, 1937, when she entered the I. O. O. F. home at Mattoon.

Judge Stone ordered that the restored pension payments be made retroactive to Aug. 13. A case is pending before the State Supreme Court to determine whether decisions of the old age assistance division can be appealed to the courts.

### Missouri U. Christmas Holiday.

By the Associated Press.

COLUMBIA, Mo., Dec. 22.—This city's population will take a drop of approximately 4800 this afternoon when University of Missouri students begin their annual Christmas vacation exodus. University students will return to classes Monday, Jan. 3. Vacations for Christian and Stephens Colleges began last week, and classes for both schools will start again Jan. 5.

### Heavy Snow on Mexico Border.

ALBUQUERQUE, N. M., Dec. 22.—Southern New Mexico, from El Paso, Tex., to the Arizona line, dug out last night from under the heaviest snowfall in years. From the Guadalupe Mountains, 100 miles east of El Paso, to the continental divide in the southwestern corner of the state, freezing mist and snow were general. North of Las Cruces, a large portion of the state had warm sunshine. El Paso experienced a two-inch snowfall.

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## ROOSEVELT FAMILY TO ATTEND UNION SERVICES CHRISTMAS

**On Night Before He Will Read Dickens' "Christmas Carol" Aloud.**

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22.—President and Mrs. Roosevelt and members of their family will attend a community service on Christmas morning at the Church of the Covenant.

The service will be under the auspices of the Washington Federation of Churches, representing 140 Protestant churches of 20 denominations. The Rev. Peter Marshall, pastor of the New York Avenue Presbyterian Church, will deliver the sermon.

After a midday dinner, gifts for adult members of the Roosevelt family will be distributed from the family Christmas tree on the second floor of the White House. Sara and Kate Roosevelt, the young children of Mr. and Mrs. James Roosevelt, will receive their presents in the morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Roosevelt will cross Pennsylvania avenue to Lafayette Park at 5 p. m. Friday to attend a municipal tree lighting ceremony. The President will speak briefly.

After dinner that evening the President will read Dickens' "Christmas Carol" aloud to the family, an old custom of the Roosevelts.

## U. S. LINER NEARS PORT AFTER COLLISION AT SEA

**Arrives in Elbe River on Way to Hamburg Following Accident in Fog.**

By the Associated Press.

LONDON, Dec. 22.—The United States liner City of Hamburg, damaged yesterday in collision with an Italian vessel in a fog off Terschelling, the Netherlands, reached a point in the Elbe River 30 miles from Hamburg today. Arrangements were made for a special convoy to complete the trip.

Aboard were one passenger, Miss Herta Peters of New York City, and a crew of 80.

The 8424-ton vessel, owned by the Baltimore Mail Steamship Co., collided with the 6458-ton Italian Confidenza. The latter was damaged slightly.

With tons of water pouring into two holds, the City of Hamburg limped unassisted through a calm sea.

The ship left Hamburg last Sunday for Southampton and the United States.

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Out of more than 2500 employers found to have practiced labor-spying, the committee listed approximately 1000 of the larger, together with the amounts paid for that and kindred service during the years 1933 to 1936, inclusive. General Motors topped the list with total expenditures of $1,019,056, for "espionage, munitions and strike expenses," and Radio Corporation of America was a close second with $1,007,350. The total for the selected list during the four years was $9,440,132.

**$72,000 Spent by Laclede Gas.**

Included in it was the Laclede Gas Light Co. of St. Louis, with expenditures of $72,521 for "espionage" and the Kroger Grocery Co., also of St. Louis, with $50,000 for 1936 "strike expense."

Spying on workers at work is neither the sole nor the most important function of labor spies, the report declared. They render their most effective service, it stated, by joining unions, attending meetings, getting themselves elected to positions of trust in the unions, obtaining union membership roles, promoting dissension and distrust in union ranks, and provoking strikes that are certain to fail.

"Since success as a spy depends upon advancement in union confidences," it states, "the spy has every incentive to press forward as a unionist. In time he comes to make the union his chief business . . . He becomes an expert in labor matters, a professional parliamentarian, a tactician and often obtains a position of leadership in the local union."

As a matter of fact, the report states that 100 Pinkerton operatives succeeded in having themselves elected officers of unions. One rose to the rank of national vice-president. Fourteen became presidents of local unions, and 28 became secretaries.

(In yesterday's Post-Dispatch it was stated that 100 Pinkerton men were elected to offices in the Automobile Workers' Union. This was an error. Apparently they were scattered throughout a number of unions, none of which were named in this section of the report.)

**"Hooking" Employes.**

One of the most important duties of detectives operating in manufacturing plants, according to the report, is to "hook" other employes. "Hooking" consists in picking out a worker—preferably one who is trusted by his fellow workers—and gradually transforming him into a spy. Usually he is unaware for a considerable time how he is being used, and when he becomes aware of it, he is too deeply involved to pull out. Describing the technique, an agent of the National Corporation Service said:

"First you look your prospect over, and if he is married, that is preferable. If he is financially hard up, that is number two. If his wife wants more money, or he hasn't got a car, that all counts. You go offer him this extra money; naturally you don't tell him what you want him for."

In some instances "hookers" represent to their "prospects" that the information is desired for educational or philanthropic institutions. One "hooker" represented to the victim that he was an agent of the N R A. The committee estimates that 50 to 75 per cent of the men now engaged in labor spying are "hooked" workers.

The first problem of a labor-spying firm is to sell its services, and that sometimes requires methods as devious as those employed in performing the services. Thus, it was shown that some agencies planted men in factories to obtain information which would enable them to get contracts from the employers.

**Instructions to Managers.**

Many devices were employed. Last year the Burns Agency issued an all-office letter, containing these instructions:

"We particularly recommend that all managers thoroughly familiarize themselves with the current ac-

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# Russia Renews Japanese Fishing Privileges But Only for Year

### Prolonging of Agreement, First Made in 1905 Peace Treaty, Temporarily Calms Grave Controversy.

By the Associated Press.

MOSCOW, Dec. 22.—Soviet Russia has agreed to let Japan continue fishing in Soviet Pacific waters, thus temporarily quieting an issue that gravely troubled Russian-Japanese relations.

Official announcement was made last night, prolonging for one year an old agreement, which would have expired Dec. 31.

Negotiations to renew the agreement had developed dangerous possibilities when Russia postponed renewal of fishing privileges in spite of strong Japanese pressure.

Japanese leaders had threatened "forcible action" to conserve Japan's important fishing industry in Russian waters, which employs 20,000 fishermen.

The Soviet press told Japan that signing of a new agreement had been delayed by Japan's signature of an anti-Communist pact with Germany.

A communication from Japanese fishermen recently urged the Government to safeguard Japan's rights there, "which were obtained by the sweat and blood of our forefathers."

The original rights were awarded to Japan by the Treaty of Portsmouth of 1905, part of the fruits of her victory over Russia in war. They were restated in March, 1928, and renewed for a year the end of 1936.

# EGYPTIAN KING ENDS DISPUTE WITH CABINET

### Ministers Agree to Dissolution of Premier's Political Army.

By the Associated Press.

CAIRO, Dec. 22. — The deadlock between King Farouk and the Egyptian Cabinet was broken today when the Ministers agreed to the ruler's demand that the blue-shirted youth organization of the Wafd (Nationalist) party be dissolved. The political army is commanded by Premier Mustapha Nahas Pasha.

The Cabinet was unwilling to dissolve the organization on its own authority, but agreed to submit the question to the Wafd executive committee and Nationalist members of Parliament tomorrow. It was thought that both would approve.

Farouk, it was understood, was not insisting on the right to nominate one-third of the Senators—another issue in the disagreement between the King and the Premier.

Great Britain was reported to have brought pressure on the young King to keep the Nahas Cabinet because a change in government might disturb the delicate international situation in the Mediterranean.

Farouk has taken a violent dislike to the two-year-old blue shirt army whose members carry wooden truncheons and wear black arm bands bearing an ancient Egyptian symbol — a triangle containing a hand grasping the key of life.

A rival army of green shirts was smashed by Nahas after an attempt on his life in November.

# SAINT-QUENTIN PROBABLE NEW FRENCH ENVOY TO U. S.

### Ambassador Rejected by Mussolini Likely to Succeed Georges Bonnet.

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PARIS, Dec. 22. — Count Rene Doynel de Saint-Quentin, for the last year France's unreceived Ambassador at Rome, was mentioned in diplomatic circles here yesterday as the choice for next Ambassador at Washington, and an official announcement of his appointment was expected in a few days.

Since Georges Bonnet, appointed Ambassador to the United States in February, 1937, was recalled last June to become Finance Minister, the French Embassy in Washington has been under Jules Henry, counselor of Embassy, as charge d'affaires.

Saint-Quentin was named Ambassador to Italy in September, 1936, to succeed Count Charles de Chambrun, and ever since, has been kept waiting on the doorstep by Premier Benito Mussolini because the Paris Government refused to accredit its new envoy to Victor Emmanuel III as Emperor of Ethiopia, as well as King of Italy.

# DOMINICAN MINISTER DENIES TALES OF HAITIAN KILLINGS

### Declares His Country Is Offering Aid in Settling Border Dispute.

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22.—Dominican Minister Andres Pastoriza has termed "mere hearsay" assertions by Bishop J. M. Jan of Haiti that more than 12,000 Haitians have been massacred on Dominican soil in border clashes.

Pastoriza said his country "is offering its heartiest co-operation" toward settling the controversy, but that "the exaggerated comments of Bishop Jan do no serve to foster a spirit of peace and fraternity."

Donald R. Richberg, former head of the National Recovery Administration, has been designated a member of the Dominican Government's delegation to a conciliation commission.

**Richberg a Dominican Conciliator.**

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22.—Donald R. Richberg, former head of N R A, has been designated a member of the Dominican Government's delegation to the Inter-American Conciliation Commission, it was learned yesterday. The commission is seeking a settlement of the Haitian - Dominican controversy. The other Dominican delegate will be Dr. Roberto Despradel, Dominican Minister to Cuba.

# VALUE OF COTTON CROP DISCUSSED IN T V A HEARING

### Testimony Introduced to Show Importance of Dams for Flood Control —Recess to Jan. 3.

By SAM J. SHELTON,
A Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., Dec. 22. —After a short session this morning the three-Judge Federal Court hearing the complaint of utility corporations challenging the constitutionality of the Tennessee Valley Authority recessed until Jan. 3. Because Raymond T. Jackson, chief counsel for the complainants' was ill with a cold, the court decided to recess today instead of tomorrow as had been planned.

At today's session James Lawrence Fly, T V A counsel, completed the direct examination of Charles W. Okey, a T V A engineer, who testified that a two-foot reduction in flood crest at Cairo, Ill., which he and other witnesses for the authority have said could be accomplished by the Government's system of dams on the Tennessee River and tributaries when completed, would save much land along the lower Mississippi from inundation and also would result in large savings in cost to maintenance of levees in periods of high water. Cross-examination of this witness was deferred.

**Testimony on Crop Value.**

Testimony about the value of the cotton crop in the "alluvial valley" of the Mississippi River and about other products and resources of that area has been put before the court by the Tennessee Valley Authority in support of its flood control claims.

The testimony along this line, which took up a good part of the day yesterday, went back 10 years to include a description of what happened in the flood of 1927. The court, however, balked at admitting a lot of details that Okey was prepared to relate. Thus checked, Fly began reading, in an offer to prove, the story that he said the witness would have given, a lengthy and dramatic account of a levee break at Greenville, Miss., with houses floating away and people clinging to roof tops.

**Like Radio Story.**

District Judge John D. Martin, a member of the court, interrupted to say that it sounded like a radio account. Fly then stopped the reading and summarized the rest of the story.

This digression came from the purpose of TVA to try to show that it is in general a proper constitutional function of the Federal Government to provide protection against destructive floods. It is a part of the defense of TVA against charges of 18 complaining utility corporations that the whole TVA program is unconstitutional.

The witness defined the alluvial valley as that part subject to overflow unless protected by levees or otherwise, extending from near Cape Girardeau, Mo., to the Gulf

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# FRANK B. KELLOGG, AUTHOR OF PARIS PEACE PACT, DIES

### Former Secretary of State Succumbs to Cerebral Thrombosis and Bronchial Pneumonia.

By the Associated Press.

ST. PAUL, Minn., Dec. 22. — Frank B. Kellogg, who had been World Court Judge, Ambassador to Great Britain, United States Senator and Secretary of State, died at his home here at 7:28 p. m. yesterday. He would have been 81 years old today.

He had been in failing health for more than a year. His illness became serious early in November, when he was stricken with cerebral trombosis.

He rallied several times, but bronchial pneumonia complicated his condition last Sunday. He lapsed into a coma and regained consciousness for only short periods thereafter.

Funeral services will be at 2 p. m. tomorrow, with the Rev. Conrad H. Gesner officiating. The body will be taken to Washington Saturday and funeral services will be held in the National Cathedral at 2 p. m. Monday.

**Death Announced Prematurely.**

Dr. J. A. Lepak, attending physician, said premature announcement of the death as having taken place at 7:10 p. m., 18 minutes before it actually occurred, resulted from an unauthorized statement during his absence. Dr. Lepak added:

"He had been in a coma since about noon Monday with breathing very irregular. Sometimes it seemed to have stopped completely and stimulants were administered. This seeming occurence of death came frequently and at 7:10 p. m. some member of the family circle reported to the press the patient had died.

"Mr. Kellogg, however, continued to respond to stimulants intermittently up to the time or very shortly before I arrived at the house about 7:23 p. m. Examination established his death a few moments later at 7:28 p. m."

In the home at the time of death were Mrs. Kellogg, Mrs. F. J. Ottis, her sister; Mr. and Mrs. Burnham Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dean Clark, and Dr. Lepak. Mrs. Harris and Mrs. Clark are nieces of Mrs. Kellogg.

Other survivors are Mrs. Jean K. Austin, a sister, of New Bedford, Mass., and another niece, Mrs. John Bradshaw of Madison, N. J. He had no children.

## *KELLOGG CAREER IN LAW, POLITICS*

FRANK BILLINGS KELLOGG was born in Potsdam, N. Y., Dec. 22, 1856, the son of Asa Farnsworth and Abigail Billings Kellogg. When he was nine years old, the family migrated to a farm in Minnesota, and, with only rural schooling as a foundation, he started to study law at the age of 19 in the office of a Rochester attorney, H. A. Eckholdt, who gave him legal

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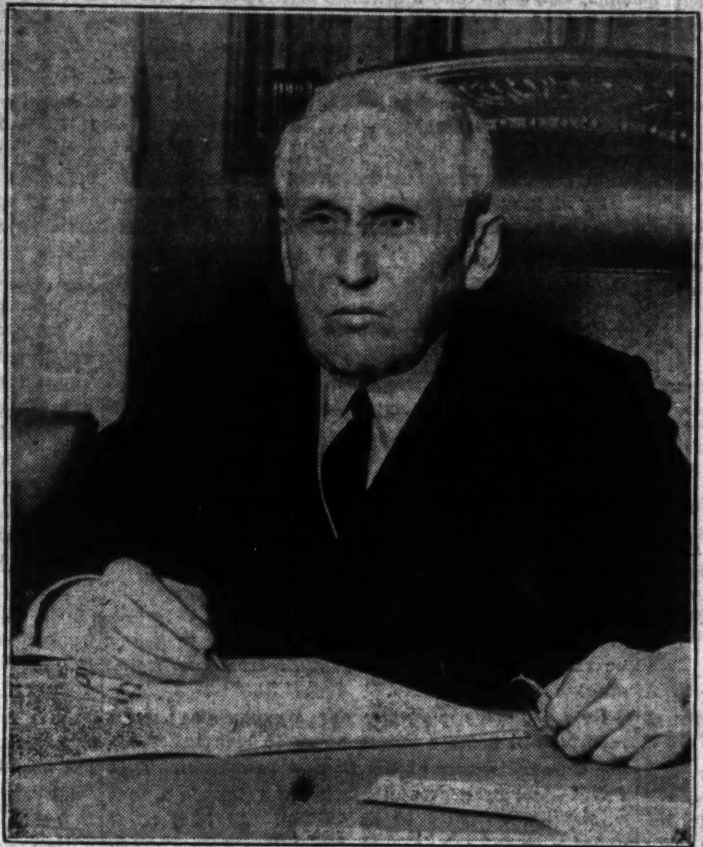

FRANK B. KELLOGG.

# BRITAIN SEEKS REPORT ON WORLD ECONOMIC SURVEY

### Ex-Premier Von Zeeland Invited to Report on Plan to Promote Trade.

By the Associated Press.

LONDON, Dec. 22.—The British Government today invited former Premier Paul van Zeeland of Belgium to come to London to present his world economic survey.

He was commissioned by Britain and France to make the survey last summer, its ultimate object being to determine the feelings of world Powers toward an international economic conference and to ascertain methods of promoting world trade.

Van Zeeland visited the United States in the course of his survey. Publication of his report is expected shortly, probably in January.

# NAZI CENSOR ON FOREIGN MUSIC

### New Decree Provides for Examination of Imports.

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BERLIN, Dec. 22.—All foreign music henceforth will be submitted to authorities before its sale is permitted in Germany, under a new decree, "for the protection of German cultural life against the influence of undesirable music detrimental to the German nation."

The decree, which was issued by the president of the National Chamber of Music yesterday, provides that a special department will be established in the Propaganda Ministry whose task it will be to examine imported music.

# DIPLOMATS IN MOSCOW GET CHRISTMAS TURKEYS IN LATVIA

### Prices in Riga Jump 30 Per Cent as Result of Large Shipments.

RIGA, Latvia, Dec. 22.—Latvian turkeys, geese, pigs and other holiday food will grace the tables of the Moscow diplomatic colony again this Christmas, traders in the Riga market said today. They credited a sudden jump of 30 per cent in price to large shipments which left last evening on trains for Moscow.

The unusually large purchases by couriers and also by local diplomats for their colleagues in Moscow denuded the market of turkeys. Additional supplies are expected today.

Foreign representations in Moscow include several hundred families, all of whom depend upon Riga for their regular supplies of meats and poultry.

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# COMMUNISTS FAIL IN ATTACK ON PARAGUAY MILITARY GUARD

### Former Major Leading Group Killed at Campo Grande, Commander of Troops Wounded.

By the Associated Press.

ASUNCION, Paraguay, Dec. 22.—The Government announced today that a group of Communists, headed by former Maj. Joel Estigarribia, made an unsuccessful attempt last night to overthrow the military guard at Campo Grande.

Estigarribia was killed, the announcement said, and Lieut. Rogelio Fiore, commander of the guard, was seriously injured.

# ROOSEVELT GOT NOTHING HE ASKED FOR IN CONGRESS

### At Same Time Opposition Provided No Substitute Program in Special Session Just Ended.

By RAYMOND P. BRANDT,
A Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22.—The abrupt ending of the extra session of Congress late yesterday exemplified the lack of leadership and confusion in both administration and anti-New Deal forces. President Roosevelt got none of the measures he asked for and the opposition failed to produce a substitute program. The net result was confusion and the postponement of final action on important measures until the regular session, which will start Jan. 3.

Republicans described the 37-day session as a "goose-egg Congress." Loyal Roosevelt supporters insisted that a vast amount of "spade work" had been done and that the fruits would be gathered during the next session.

**What Roosevelt Asked For.**

In his "fireside" radio talk to the country a few hours after he had announced the calling of the special session, President Roosevelt listed four "must" measures for the extraordinary session. These were permanent crop control legislation, minimum wage and maximum hour law, reorganization of the executive departments, and regional planning.

Later he asked for revision of the Federal Housing Act and curtailment of Federal aid to States for public roads.

Final action was taken on none of these, unless it can be said that by recommitting the Black-Connery wage and hour bill to the Labor Committee the House effectively killed that controversial measure. President Roosevelt, however, has announced that he will insist on legislation on this subject, presumably at the next session.

**Two Bills Go to Conference.**

The farm subsidy bills of the Senate and the House were sent to conference for a compromise of differences in the two proposals. Both houses also enacted legislation liberalizing the present housing act, but, although the differences in these two revisions were slight, the Roosevelt leaders in the Senate and House were unable to hold Congress in session until a vote could be taken on the conference report. Reorganization of the executive department did not get to the debate stage and regional planning was quietly pigeonholed.

**Economy Proposal Shelved.**

Nor was any action taken on President Roosevelt's special mes-

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## LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE

### Triple-A in a New Guise.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

THE old Triple-A is back with us again in a new guise. This time, they have it all dressed up like Santa Claus, but it still contains the same vicious philosophy which the Supreme Court called "a statutory plan to regulate and control agricultural production, a matter beyond the powers delegated to the Federal Government."

Instead of being a "philosophy of scarcity," it now poses as a "philosophy of abundance." Compulsory control of corn, wheat, cotton, rice and tobacco is what the Secretary of Agriculture now calls "the traditional democratic way."

Perhaps I am of too recent origin, being a mere lad of one-and-sixty, to comprehend the alphabetical logic and intricate workings of the New Deal. Just when I think I've got them treed and their esoteric science of money, potatoes and hogs mastered, I suddenly find myself out on a limb.

I claim this legislation should never become law, for it is not only an invasion of the rights of the farmer but practically puts him in a straitjacket, whether he likes it or not. District commissioners, "technical experts," Government agents and other employes would tell a man how to run his farm, and the farmers would be so busy making out reports they would have little time to grow crops.

JIM McINTOSH.

Alton, Ill.

### Dangers of War Referendum.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

OF all the proposals that have come before Congress, one of the most absurd is that calling for a plebiscite to determine whether the nation shall engage in a war.

This is pacifism gone wild and irresponsible. It is another laugh-producing paragraph for the Fascist's book of democratic follies and foibles. It is pressing the invitation to war-makers to "take what you want when you want it."

The attitude projected in such a proposal brings nearer, and in more horrible form, the conflict we would avoid.

E. G. P.

### Japan's American-Made Bombs.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

LESS than six months ago, readers of your paper viewed a picture taken of the Boston railroad yards, showing hundreds of carloads of American scrap iron consigned to the Japanese Government.

Recently, we read a news item stating that the United States Government had issued a permit to the du Ponts, allowing a huge shipment of T N T to go to the Japanese Government.

Would it be so unreasonable to believe that parts of each of the shipments from this country were used to make the bombs that were dropped by the Japanese airmen and sank the United States gunboat Panay and inflicted casualties by both death and injuries to American sailors?

Such is the harvest reaped from trade with our belligerent neighbors.

JAMES GUNTER.

### Out With the Meat Hounds!

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

THE writer appreciates your cartoon depicting the old "meat hound" getting under the conservation fence which 800,000 voters assisted in building.

The way to get rid of the creature is to publish the names of all the meat hounds who are now in office, and earnestly request the 800,000 who voted Yes on Proposition No. 4 to vote No on them. Eight hundred thousands should be enough to elect a different variety.

H. E. LeROY.

### Santa Takes Some Christmas Cheer.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

THE other day, as I was strolling through a small business district in my neighborhood, I espied Santa Claus trudging wearily along a few paces ahead of me. His usual jovial aspect seemed to be strangely absent; instead, he looked a little bedraggled. Obviously, the responsibilities of the season were weighing heavily upon him.

I followed him for some distance, and was quite surprised to note that he paused, not in the midst of an admiring group of kiddies, but, unbelievable as it may seem, before a saloon. After peering ashamedly up and down the avenue, like a psuedo-moralist in front of a burlesque theater, he summoned up what was left of his usually abundant supply of energy and made a quick dash within.

My first reaction to the old rogue's antics was a feeling of consternation and disappointment, but, after considering the matter, I was inclined to be lenient with him. For if Santa, whose labors during this trying period are truly Herculean, isn't entitled to a little Christmas cheer, then I'd like to know who is.

J. J. FORBECK.

### For Made-in-America Christmas Gifts.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

LET'S encourage the buying of American-made products. Our city alone has an appalling number of men unemployed. Don't buy shoddy articles to complete Christmas gifts. Nearly always, knickknacks are foreign-made.

We love our country and want good standards of living kept up.

DOROTHY HICKAM.

## MR. LANDON'S FINE MESSAGE.

Former Gov. Landon of Kansas has grown steadily in public esteem since his defeat for the presidency last year. Now he has added further to his stature as a citizen by his gracious telegram to Mr. Roosevelt pledging his continued support of the President "in the difficult foreign situation" confronting the administration.

The sending of this message, at this particular time, was more than a gracious act. It was a statesmanlike and a patriotic act. Obviously, Gov. Landon had in mind the situation created between Japan and this country by the Panay incident. He had also in mind the interpretation that militarists abroad would inevitably place on the passage of the Ludlow resolution—an interpretation, indeed, that might arise even from protracted agitation in its favor.

As we have before stated, there could have been no more unfortunate time than the present for the misguided effort in Congress on behalf of the Ludlow resolution. Unquestionably, this scheme to make a war declaration dependent on a majority vote in a national plebiscite would have a debilitating effect on the nation's conduct of its foreign relations.

There is sound understanding of the present need for unity—and, as we believe, of the character of the American people—in Gov. Landon's sharp criticism of those Congressmen who would "hamstring" the President in his handling of "an extremely delicate foreign situation."

Both the message of Gov. Landon and the President's reply, setting out his realistic approach to the problem of world peace, deserve the applause and the full support of the public. Mr. Roosevelt's words are in keeping with the admirable manner in which he has dealt with the Panay affair from the beginning.

Gov. Landon's message, our Washington bureau reports, will prove a strong factor in bringing about the expected defeat of the Ludlow resolution. That defeat—and by a great majority of votes—is a consummation devoutly to be wished. As long as it remains on the calendar, the resolution does a grave disservice to the cause of that "ultimate security" toward which the policy of the President and the State Department is directed.

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## EXPLAINING JAPAN'S PAPER SHORTAGE.

Japanese New Year greetings this year will be largely oral, for the Government is discouraging the use of cards because of a paper shortage, induced by the war in China.

It's easy to see why the Tokio Government fears it will run out of paper. By the time the Panay incident is fully reported on by the Foreign Office, by the War Department and the Navy Department and the air forces of each, by the Japanese Ambassador at Washington, by Government press officials, by various Admirals, Generals and attaches in China, and all the glaring discrepancies among the lot of them are ironed out, the total reams of paper consumed will make Mount Fujiyama look like an anthill.

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## AN IMPORTANT DECISION ON PICKETING.

The New York Court of Appeals, the highest court in New York and the leading state court in the country, has handed down a 6-to-1 decision in a picketing case which should give labor unions pause. Freely admitting that peaceful picketing is legal, the court does not hesitate to declare mass and raucous picketing a plain trespass upon the law. The law is violated, says the opinion of the New York Judges,

> where a large crowd gathers in mass formation, or there is shouting or the use of loud-speakers in front of a picketed place of business, or the sidewalk entrance is obstructed by parading around in a circle or lying on the sidewalk. Such actions are merely a form of intimidation. Disorderly conduct, force, violence or intimidation by pickets should be sternly suppressed by the police and their administrative authority.

The court then goes on to deal with the subject of secondary picketing, and what it has to say on this should also be food for thought in labor organization councils.

> Likewise (continues the opinion) it is illegal to picket the place of business of one who is not himself a party to an industrial dispute to persuade the public to withdraw its patronage generally from the business for the purpose of coercing the owner to take sides in a controversy in which he has no interest. Nor is it legal to ruin the custom and trade generally or to accost or interfere with customers at the entrance to the store.

This does not mean that the court condemned secondary picketing in every instance. On the contrary, it specifically found that if peaceful picketing is directed against a product which the picketed merchant or business house is retailing and not at the merchant's business in general, secondary picketing is within the law. Distinguishing between improper and proper picketing of a secondary nature, the court said:

> Where the manufacturer disposes of the product through retailers in unity of interest with it, unless the union may follow the product to the place where it is sold and peacefully ask the public to refrain from purchasing it, the union would be deprived of a fair and proper means of bringing its plea to the attention of the public.

If there are those who will take sharp exception to this ruling, there are also many who will find it measuring out even-handed justice. The New York Court of Appeals has been distinguished for a long line of high-minded jurists and its personnel today is of the same character. The fact is that while labor has its rights, it has no license. The general strike in Great Britain brought the restrictions of the British Trade Unions Dispute Act, which defines legal and illegal strikes and strike activity.

The New York decision explores a field of law which is not fixed or settled. In its discriminating judgment is a warning which should be heeded.

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## PREFERENCE IN WORDS.

Mr. Hoover is quoted as saying that "I like this new word recession," and anyone with a drop of the milk of human kindness in his veins must acknowledge that the word is a charming bud of innocence compared with the verbal harridans and termagants that once made our former President's nights hideous.

But the holy cause of accuracy importunes us to remark that recession has been around quite a while. It was on its way into the English of Elizabeth when Geoffrey Chaucer was listening to the nightingales, and even then it was a patriarch among the parts of speech. Recession had attained military age when Julius Caesar crossed the Rubicon. It was no stranger in Roman circles when the Gracchus boys were shuffling the cards for the original New Deal, and it must have been on everybody's lips during Caligula's regattas.

Lexicography never has been one of Mr. Hoover's enthusiasms, and so if he finds recession sweeter to the ear, softer to the touch and easier on the eyes than collapse, catastrophe, cataclysm and many another venomous noun that was once forebodingly current—well, all right.

Some of us, though, would prefer a bright, jingling, freshly-minted boom.

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## "THE GREATEST RACKET."

Senator Truman of Missouri has recently had what might be called a course of graduate instruction in railroad finance. As vice-chairman of the Senate committee charged with investigating railroad reorganization, he took over the job of directing the inquiry when Senator Wheeler of Montana, the chairman, gave up command because of other duties.

Mr. Wheeler, it will be recalled, suffered an attack of intellectual vertigo as he tried to follow the magicianship of the Van Sweringens in making impalpable dollars perform the prodigies of solid gold. There was some fourth-dimension bookkeeping, too, in the tangled affairs of the Missouri Pacific, which was too cryptic, Mr. Wheeler confessed, for a mere senatorial mind.

Carrying on from the point of Mr. Wheeler's temporary withdrawal, Mr. Truman ran head-on into some recondite accounting and listened to reluctant recitals of entries entirely fictitious. The experience persuaded him that the business of railroad financing and reorganization is the "greatest racket on earth," with bankers, lawyers, heads of insurance companies and railroad directors all participating in the endless operation of breaking the carriers.

The Missourian has told the Senate all about it, in the vivid idiom of the Ozarks. He is convinced a solution can be found for our railroad problem, but not in the reasoning and practice of Wall Street. "Our whole railroad structure must be overhauled," is a conclusion he has reached. Prerequisite to that, our transportation properties must be redeemed from the clutches of bankers, holding companies, administrators of insurance funds and promoters of the Van Sweringen ilk, along with the palm-itching financial overlords of the railroads.

It was a plain, blunt speech that Senator Truman made, but the charges of greed, deception, false bookkeeping, speculation and betrayal of stockholders which he filed are all based on the evidence adduced in the Senate committee's investigation. By way of addendum to the Truman indictment, Senator Wheeler observed that "if any member of the Senate did what the president of the Wabash did, he would find himself in jail."

The Truman-Wheeler joint report, if so it may be termed, amplifies "the crucifixion of the Frisco," as Mr. Kurn bitterly phrased it, into "the crucifixion of the railroads."

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## YES, WE HAVE NO O'MALLEY.

In the admirable settlement of the long controversy between the city and the Laclede Gas Light Co., provision is made for the return to the company's customers of $926,054 which the court had collected and held during the period of a contested rate reduction ordered by the city.

In its origin and accumulation, this sum is almost an exact counterpart of the impounded insurance fund in the Circuit Court of Cole County. Unlike the Jefferson City tribunal, the court depositories in the local instance did not find it necessary to appoint commissioners and custodians and lawyers to safeguard the money at fat salaries and preposterous fees.

There is another point of difference, too. No head of a municipal department has appeared to effect an agreement by which 50 per cent of the money will be returned to the Laclede Gas Light Co., 30 per cent to a pair of Chicago attorneys and the remaining 20 per cent to the gas consumers. Yet such a disposition of the fund would be a duplicate, in proportions, of the famous "O'Malley compromise," which our Supreme Court recently invalidated.

Gone is O'Malley, but the insurance scandal is not yet forgotten. To intertwine the metaphor, it was the Big Oak of Jefferson City's plum trees.

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## "TY" WILLIAMS.

The Washington University Law Alumni Association is holding a dinner tonight in honor of Prof. Tyrrell Williams, now rounding out his twenty-fifth year as a member of the Washington University School of Law faculty. A prominent member of the community thus receives a salute which makes a graceful and happy contribution to the holiday season.

The only teacher in the law school's history to serve so long, Prof. Williams might have been permanent dean years ago. He preferred to teach, and the hundreds of students who have relished his wit as they drank up his learning count themselves and the university fortunate that he resisted the enticements of administration. Contracts and civil procedure and criminal law, as "Ty" teaches those courses—and it would be a pose not to call him "Ty"—are not dry-as-dust routines, but vital phases of an ever-changing science. City knows him as well as campus; throughout his long association with the university, he has allied himself with a host of civic movements and causes. Human rights and the pioneering American Law Institute, of which he is a charter member, have been special interests; he could hardly have chosen wiser.

His literary interests indicate his range: Look up such stalwarts of the Missouri bench and bar as Robert Franklin Walker and Seymour Dwight Thompson in the monumental Dictionary of American Biography and you find that Tyrrell Williams wrote crisp, illuminating sketches on them. If you want to know a fine point about the origin of "Frankie and Johnnie," or some other St. Louis folk song, he is the man to call up.

May "Ty" Williams adorn the Hill for a long time to come!

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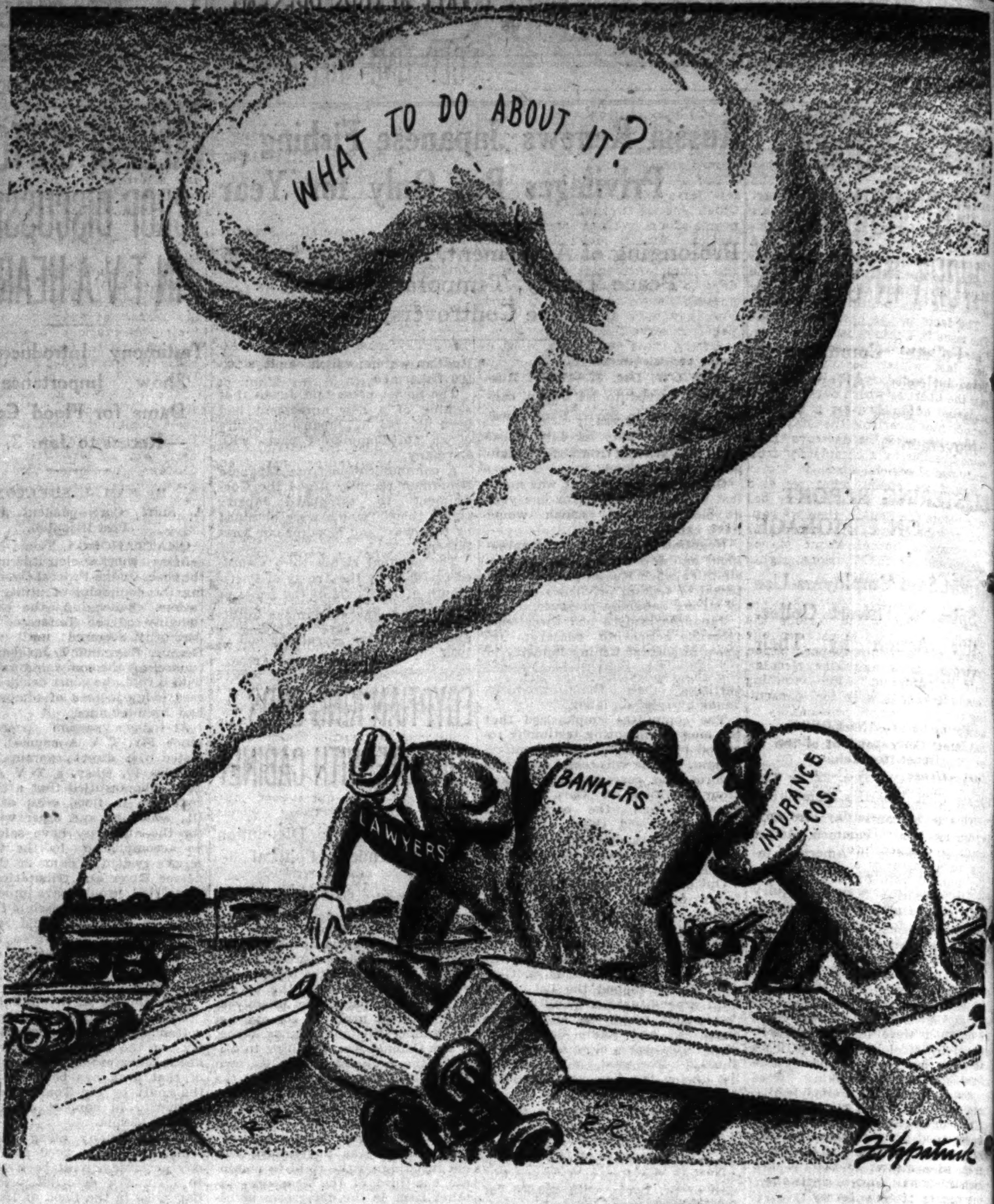
## CAROL TIME.

The red and green-caped singers of the St. Louis Christmas Carols Association are making the rounds of hotels, restaurants, department stores and other public places this week. May their music meet with the generous response it deserves as they start their second quarter-century! Members of the association give valuable time at a busy season to raise funds for worthy projects among unfortunate children and young people. Diners and shoppers and others who hear their songs can contribute with assurance that the money will be used to bring good cheer to the lives of those who are in especial need of it.



THE GREAT RAILROAD PROBLEM.

# Position of the Civil Liberties Union

Replying to criticism by writer who said group was zealous only for radicals, spokesmen cite defense of Klan, Nazis, Hearst and Hamilton Fish; Left and labor are most often attacked and have most need of help, they add; organization's program, they assert, is upholding the civil rights of minorities, irrespective of their views.

IN his syndicated article published in the Post-Dispatch of Dec. 13, Walter Lippmann made the following comment:

"There is the Civil Liberties Union, one of the truly indispensable private organizations in America, with its long and noble record of persistent and courageous defense of forgotten individuals and of hated minorities. Yet, somehow, the Civil Liberties Union has neither the dignity nor the prestige nor the effectiveness which its principles deserve.

"The reason, I feel sure, is that the union almost never goes into action when the liberties of anyone on the Right are attacked, though in fairness it should be recalled that the union did most bravely defend some American Nazis a few years ago when they were being denied their legal prerogatives.

"But the directors of the union have missed one opportunity after another to prove that they really stand for the thing they profess to stand for; that they care for civil liberty as such, as a good thing in itself, and not merely because it is a convenience for Communists, Anarchists, Socialists and labor organizers.

"When Senator Black was conducting his inquisition into the affairs of Mr. Hearst, the Civil Liberties Union should have been defending Mr. Hearst, however much he may hate the union, however much the union may hate Mr. Hearst. When the N L R B recently began its amazing inquiry into the affairs of newspapers and periodicals, the Civil Liberties Union would have done well to manifest some concern.

"For they would defend an agitator who took his orders from Moscow; why then should they be squeamish about defending a newspaper man who took his orders from a steel company?"

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Spokesmen for the A C L U have replied as follows to Mr. Lippmann:

"Dear Mr. Lippmann: Your article, 'Liberty and Its Many Champions,' takes the Civil Liberties Union to task for partisanship in defense of the principle of civil liberty.

"You reflect the common view that the union is a partisan of the Left and that its work is largely confined to a defense of radicals. This is not the fact. The union's work is created for it by those who violate civil rights of one minority or another.

"Twenty years ago, it was the I W W whom the defenders of civil liberties were called upon mainly to protect; 10 years ago it was the Communists; today it is the C I O and the rights of labor around which the central issues revolve. Secondary issues are, of course, always involved—affecting, among others, Negroes, farm organizations and, on occasion, the liberties of the extreme right, the Ku Klux Klan, the German-American Nazis and others.

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"The rights of conservative groups, which are, of course, rarely attacked, always find influential defenders. They practically never appeal to the Civil Liberties Union because they either are able to take care of themselves or find more powerful allies.

"We have gone out of our way on many occasions to volunteer defense of the rights of the Ku Klux Klan to hold public meetings and to parade unmasked, and for the right of German-American Nazis to assemble and parade. We have publicly defended Hamilton Fish against radio censorship. We protested against the Kansas censorship of Senator Wheeler's 'March of Time' speech against the President's court proposals. We offered our services to the head of the American Legion when he was cut off the air on a radio station in Cincinnati.

"Contrary to your comment, we entered a strong public protest with the Senate committee headed by Senator Black when that committee issued blank subpenas directed to the telegraph companies for all telegrams sent by numerous persons or organizations, whether on public or private business. Our sharp criticism of the Senate committee's procedure, well publicized, brought many protests, since it was considered to be a move in favor of Mr. Hearst. Similarly, our other interventions on behalf of opponents of civil liberties have always brought criticism from liberals and radicals.

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"On the current controversy over the alleged invasion of freedom of press by the N L R B, we have taken the position, after careful examination by attorneys of record, that the Labor Board is quite within its rights in examining the uses by employers of publications intended to interfere with the right of collective bargaining. It is not freedom of the press that is involved but employer coercion disguised under freedom of the press.

"We do not make out a case for a perfect record. We make out only a case for applying with all the non-partisan disinterestedness at our command the principles of the Bill of Rights as the issues arise.

"It is a reflection on the spirit of the times that what ought to be considered a patriotic and conservative service is regarded as a defense of radicalism, just because some of the more conspicuous cases involve the Left. But it is the fashion among conservatives today the world over to characterize as Communist everything progressive, democratic and liberal. On that assumption, it is not surprising that the Bill of Rights should be regarded as somewhat subversive.

"We are disturbed to see you giving aid and comfort to such an interpretation by misrepresenting our attitude and record.

"Sincerely yours,
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Mr. Lippmann now writes as follows:

"This letter seems to me to make it convincingly clear that the union does in fact intend to do what I was criticising it for not doing, and I hope that others will be as much reassured as I am by what Messrs. Ward, Hays and Baldwin have to say."

## IMMUNE.

From the Kansas City Star.

CONGRESSIONAL committees are casting about for new taxation fields, in case it is decided to repeal some of the profits levies now strangling corporations, and tax-exempt securities are among the first that come to mind. Well, just so the Federal payroll isn't touched.

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*From the Washington Post.*

THE vote to recommit the wage and hour bill is generally regarded as a death sentence for that particular measure. But agitation for Federal regulation of this kind will not cease because of a single defeat. Consequently, it is incumbent on those who believe that passage of the wage and hour bill would have been a major disaster to make clear the reasons for their objections.

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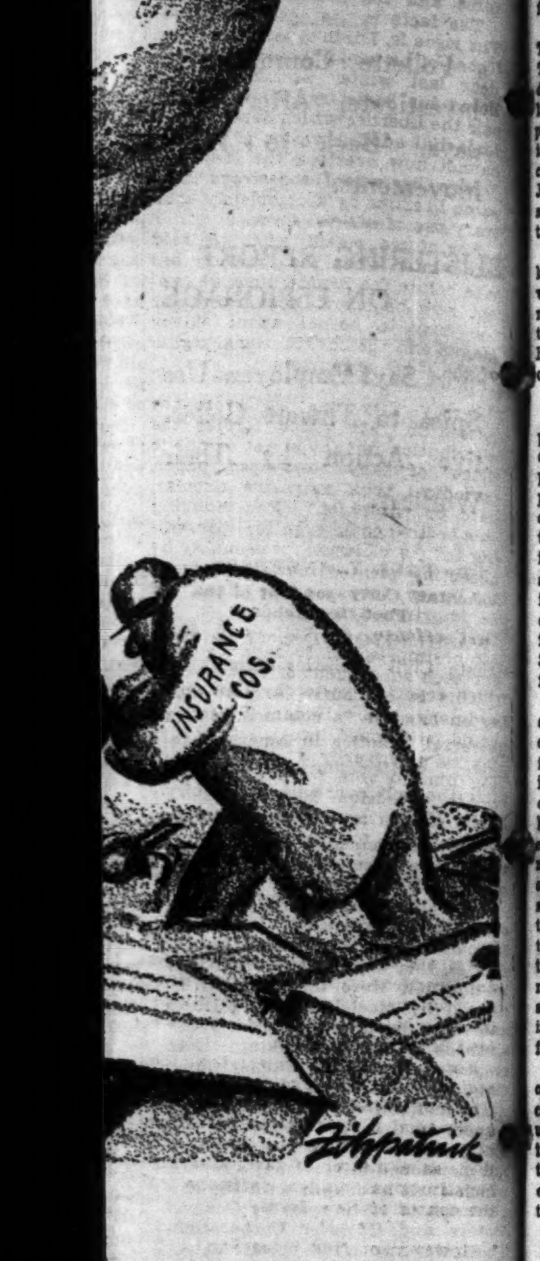

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But on the ground that counsel for Jersey City was not present Chief Justice Brogan of the Supreme Court refused to hear the motion. Finally, on Dec. 9, their petition of appeal was argued and the District Attorney was given 10 days to prepare his brief. The appeal will, however, do them no good. For they have already been compelled to serve their sentences.

Surely, these proceedings must be described as an outrage upon the inner principle of constitutional liberty. For an obviously minor and technical offense against an ordinance of extremely doubtful legality, these men have been held without bail, convicted, and refused a stay of sentence till they could appeal.

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But this does not exhaust the lawless conduct of Mayor Hague's administration. For these seven men were at least arrested and convicted in a police court. But many other men who have wished to distribute leaflets in Jersey City have not even been arrested and convicted in a police court. They have been seized by the police, and without any further legal proceedings have been by sheer physical force driven out of Jersey City.

This is official lawlessness, naked and unashamed. If there is any ground on which this can be defended, if there is any pretext on which it can be condoned, if there is any reason why it should be tolerated, I do not know what it is.

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For no one, I take it, unless it be Mayor Hague himself, will undertake to argue that because they belong to the C I O, these agitators are not entitled to the benefits of the Bill of Rights. Perhaps there will be some who think that, even though they do not quite like to say so.

They should remember the struggle last winter when the opponents of the court-packing plan were accused of being the mere defenders of predatory and reactionary interests. During that struggle, liberal and progressive men were not deterred by that accusation; they fought for the integrity of the Constitution and the independence of the courts regardless of the fact that many would benefit with whom they wholly disagreed.

Now the shoe is on the other foot. Now it is the C I O, an organization of the Left, that is being oppressed, and now it is the peculiar obligation of conservatives who believed in constitutionalism to go to the defense of these same principles. For the principles they profess are gravely attacked. They are gravely attacked in Jersey City, and the American bar, which was so thoroughly aroused last winter, should become thoroughly aroused once more.

They should be grateful for the chance to prove so clearly that they really meant what they said; they can prove it by insisting on the restoration of law and order in the State of New Jersey.

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### Talk on X-ray and Cancer.

Dr. Charles F. Sherwin, associate professor of surgery at St. Louis University, will discuss "X-ray Diagnosis and Treatment of Cancer of the Stomach and Esophagus" at a meeting of the St. Louis County Medical Society tonight at 8 o'clock at the Nurses' Home, St. Louis County Hospital. A report on several cancer cases will be presented by Dr. Wendell G. Scott, instructor in radiology at Washington University.

## But Can We Trust Him to Take Just a Bite?

—Knox in the Memphis Commercial Appeal.

## YALE ACTORS PRESENT OLD-TIME MELODRAMA

### St. Louis Audience Gives Young Players Enthusiastic Reception.

The Yale University Dramatic Association, together with a Yale singing society which calls itself the Whiffenpoofs, came to St. Louis last night at the start of their annual Christmas tour and presented the anonymously-written play, "And for Yale," before an enthusiastic audience of 2400 at the Municipal Auditorium.

It was a melodrama, and the boys burlesqued it. The audience chimed in, too, to hiss the villain, cheer the clean, upstanding hero, and generally join in the fun. At the end, those in the audience who knew it, joined in with the singing of "Bright College Years" and the old graduates waved their handkerchiefs in what is known as true-blue fashion.

The play itself followed the rigid conventions of the old-time melodrama and the anonymous authors played doubly safe by laying the scene on the Yale campus. It was a Yale hero they wrote about, a poor boy who worked his way up and who was more than willing to die for his university. He saved a girl's honor, showed up a young cad, beat Harvard in the crew race, and won the hand of his roommate's rich sister. All in all, quite a good night's work.

The producers did a good job of staging and effectively reflected the atmosphere of New Haven at the turn of the century. The Yale type doesn't change and the members of the cast merely had to put on high collars, three-button suits, and short-legged pants to look exactly like the Elis of 1900 who sat on the old Yale fence and took their crew races very seriously.

If the authors at times wrote with their tongues in their cheeks, they still were generous in their sentiments toward their college. But the producers were the most generous of all. In the race scene, in which the Yale and Harvard crews actually rowed on the stage by means of pulleys, there were Harvard men in the Crimson boat.

The part of the hero was played by John E. Straub of Hollywood, Cal., who was graduated from Yale last June. A very satisfactory hero he was, too, judging by the way in which he won the audience's sympathy.

After attending a dance at the St. Louis Country Club last night, the cast moved on to Cincinnati.

## FUNERAL OF E. H. M'REYNOLDS

### Services Tomorrow for Former Publicity Man.

The funeral of Edward H. McReynolds, former director of publicity and advertising of the Missouri Pacific system, who shot and killed himself yesterday, will be held at 9:30 a. m. tomorrow at the Alexander Undertaking Chapel, 6175 Delmar boulevard. The body will be cremated at Valhalla Crematory.

He was 48 years old, and held his position with the Missouri Pacific for 14 years up to last July, being in recent years also assistant to President L. W. Baldwin. He had lately been connected with a printing firm, and had done publicity work for the Republican State Committee. His wife, Mrs. Augusta C. McReynolds, attributed his act to financial troubles. Besides his wife, he is survived by a brother and two sisters.

## SINGLE TAX ADVOCATE DIES

### E. B. Gaston Founded Colony on Idea in Alabama.

By the Associated Press.

MOBILE, Ala., Dec. 22.—Ernest B. Gaston, 78 years old, founder of the single tax colony at Fairhope, Mobile Bay resort, died here last night. He came to this section in 1894 from Des Moines, Ia.

The single tax of the Fairhope Colony applies to land only. All real estate within the town is leased to the colonists by the Single Tax Corporation for a period of 99 years. All State and county taxes are paid by the corporation.

### Steamship Movements.

By the Associated Press.

Arrived.

New York, Dec. 21, Pennland, Antwerp; Aquitania, Southampton; Berlin, Bremen; Translyvania, Glasgow; Pilsudski, Gdynia.

Kobe, Dec. 19, President Grant, Seattle.

Southampton, Dec. 20, Queen Mary, New York; Europa, New York.

Cobh, Dec. 21, Hansa, New York; Dec. 20, Washington, New York.

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London, Dec. 21, Ausonia, New York.

Plymouth, Dec. 21, Washington, New York.

Sailed.

Gibraltar, Dec. 20, Conte di Savoia, Naples.

### Miss Rose Maserang Funeral.

Funeral services for Miss Rose K. Maserang, 77 years old, piano teacher in St. Louis for 50 years, will be held tomorrow morning at 9:30 o'clock at St. Barbara's Church, Minerva and Hamilton avenues. Burial will be in Calvary Cemetery. Miss Maserang, who resided at 5922A Theodosia avenue, died of penumonia at De Paul Hospital.

# SOCIAL ACTIVITIES

MISS FRANCES CONANT, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Kimball Conant, became the bride of John Lowell Richards of New York late yesterday afternoon in one of the most fashionable of the Christmas season weddings. The bridegroom is the son of Mrs. Charles Montcalm Doyle of Rochester and Oswego, N. Y.

It was a candle-light service, read by the Rev. Dr. Karl Morgan Block at the Church of St. Michael and St. George, of which he is pastor. Simple decorations of woodwardia fern banked the chancel, in which many candles burned in tall standards.

The bride was attended by her sisters, Miss Eleanor and Miss Josie Conant; by Mrs. Bertrand O. Le Blanc, who was Miss Noel Kennerly, and by Mrs. Paul Rowan of Chicago, the former Miss Lydia Swift. They were gowned alike in peacock blue satin and short matching veils held in place by bandeaux of peacock blue ostrich tips. Their gowns were designed simply with short puffed sleeves shirred vertically through the center, and V-neck bodices shirred across the shoulders for fullness. Floor-length skirts flared from inset girdles pointed both front and back. Their flowers were white snapdragon massed into wide bouquets.

Mr. Conant escorted his daughter to the altar and gave her in marriage. She wore heavy, deep, ivory satin, untrimmed, fashioned with long sleeves puffed wide at the shoulder, a square neck and a long trained skirt fitted from the hips. Her veil, finger-tip length, was worn with a face veil from a halo of rose point lace, and fell over her bouquet of lilies of the valley and gardenias.

The Rev. Frederick Ward Kates, assistant rector of St. Michael and St. George, was best man for Mr. Richards, whose ushers were his brother, Charles C. B. Richards of Rochester; John D. Larkin III, Buffalo; Edward K. Love Jr., W. Finley McElroy, Mr. Rowan and Mr. Le Blanc.

Mrs. Conant wore a brown net afternoon gown embroidered in golden brown paillettes, and a small brown hat trimmed with a feather shading into pink. At her shoulder was fastened a spray of green slipper orchids. Mrs. Doyle chose sapphire blue velvet with a small matching hat and a corsage of purple orchids.

After the ceremony friends gathered at the Conant home, 19 Portland place, where a reception was held. The attendants and parents of the principals stood with them to greet their guests at the far end of the drawing room, where the fireplace was decorated with white chrysanthemums. In the reception hall a string orchestra played.

The third floor ballroom, papered in star-dotted blue, was the setting for the wedding supper, served to the bridal party and additional close friends from a long U-shaped table set with silver appointments and a tiered wedding cake, and lighted by white tapers in silver candelabra.

Out-of-town guests in addition to members of the wedding party and Mrs. Doyle, were her daughter, Miss Carolyn Richards, who wore deep rose velvet with a matching turban; Mrs. Larkin, who accompanied her husband here from Buffalo, and is a guest with him at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Block, and Mrs. Louis Flach of Cincinnati and her daughter, Miss Janet, aunt and cousin of the bridegroom.

Mr. and Mrs. Richards have departed for a southern honeymoon trip, and on their return will live at Beekman Tower, 3 Mitchell place, New York.

The bride's family has long been prominent. She is a granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore P. Conant and of the late Dr. and Mrs. William Carr Glasgow, and is a great-niece of Mrs. Newton R. Wilson and of Mrs. F. Churchill Whittemore. She is a niece of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Dozier Conant and Mr. and Mrs. F. Ewing Glasgow of St. Louis and of Mr. and Mrs. Carr Lane Glasgow of Elizabeth, La.

After attending Mary Institute, Mrs. Richards was graduated from Miss Porter's School, Farmington, Conn. Later she took courses at the University of Arizona. In 1932 she made her debut and served as a special maid of honor at the Veiled Prophet ball. She is a member of the Junior League.

Mr. Richards is a graduate of Hamilton College and the Harvard School of Business Administration, and is a member of the Harvard Club of New York. His father was the late Dr. Bradford A. Richards of Rochester.

The marriage of Miss Ellen Doris O'Neil of the Park Plaza, and Gordon Lincoln Geilfus, son of Mrs. Charles H. Geilfus of Cincinnati, took place quietly at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon at Grace Methodist Episcopal Church, the Rev. Dr. Wilbert Dowson officiating. No previous announcement had been made of the engagement, and guests who attended the small reception at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George M. Rassieur, 7230 Maryland avenue, afterward, were unaware when they arrived that the wedding had taken place.

Mr. and Mrs. Laurence O'Neil, the bride's brother and sister-in-law, were the only attendants at the ceremony. Mrs. Geilfus was married in a street-length gown of scarab blue, made with short puffed sleeves, shirred bodice and circular skirt, with which she wore a dark blue straw hat and long veil. For ornament she wore a triple strand of pearls and a corsage of lilies of the valley at her waist.

Mrs. Geilfus is a graduate of Mary Institute and attended the Bennett School, Millbrook, N. Y. She is a member of the Junior League. After the death of her parents, the late Mr. and Mrs. John Francis O'Neil, she closed the family home at 51 Kingsbury place, and for the past few years has divided her time between St. Louis and her sister, Mrs. James Harold Wallis, Scarsdale, N. Y. Mr. Geilfus attended the University of Wisconsin and belongs to the Cincinnati Country Club.

After a wedding trip to Augusta, Ga., and Miami, Fla., Mr. and Mrs. Geilfus will live in Cincinnati.

## Home From School for Holidays

—By a Post-Dispatch Staff Photographer.

*MISS ANNE KELLEY, MISS NANCY BATES KIMBALL and MISS DOROTHY JANE MAHAFFEY.*

*MISS KELLEY, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. I. D. Kelley, and Miss Kimball, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Geoffrey Kimball, attend the Sacred Heart Convent at Noroton, Conn. Miss Mahaffey, daughter of Burch Oliver Mahaffey, is a student at the Ethel Walker School, Simsbury, Conn.*

Mrs. James McCluney, 501 Clara avenue, will entertain for Miss Virginia Holland, debutante daughter of Mrs. Robert A. Holland, 8 Hortense place, at dinner tonight at her home.

Christmas greenery will be used throughout the living room, while the table in the dining room will be decorated with small white and silver trees.

Guests will include Miss Frances O'Neil, Miss Dorothy Lee Post, Miss Nancy Lee Morrill, Miss Georgia Simmons, Miss Susan Meston, Miss Alice Egan, Miss Caroline Lansing, who is home for the holidays from Smith College; Daniel Reid, Edmonstone Thompson, Joseph Lewis, Franklin Ferriss, Frederick Taussig, Ford Morrill and Sears Lehman.

A luncheon was given today at the St. Louis Country Club honoring Miss Dorothy Lee Post, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Martin Hayward Post, 501 Clara avenue, and Miss Virginia Block, daughter of the Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Karl Morgan Block, 6340 Ellenwood avenue. The hostess, Miss Katherine Burg, post-debutante daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William H. Burg, 6416 Cecil avenue, had the table decorated in holiday colors.

Miss Esther Claire Baker, debutante daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred M. Baker Jr., Price and Ladue roads, was guest of honor at a luncheon given at 1 o'clock this afternoon by Mrs. Charles Heiss, at her home, 6248 Washington boulevard.

Red and silver were the colors used for table decorations. A red plate alternated with a silver one down the length of the board, and red and silver goblets were placed in the same fashion. Silver reindeer on mirrors decorated each end of the table. Red poinsettias in silver bowls were also used in the decorations. Small flagons of perfume, wrapped in red cellophane and tied with silver ribbon, were favors. Figures of little men carrying cellophane-wrapped candies on silver sleds served as place cards. A strolling accordion player entertained guests.

In the living room there was a Christmas tree with toys for each guest. Those present at the party were: Miss Julia Marie Dearmont, Miss Dorothy Koken, Miss Anne Reinholdt, Miss Frances O'Reilly, Miss Alice Jane Meyer, Miss Angela McFadden. Miss Abigail and Miss Margaret Ann Gross, Miss Donne and Miss Elizabeth Stevens, Miss Margaret Cornwell and Miss Mary Dixon Johnston.

Miss Eugenia Dempsey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. Dempsey, 5706 Maple avenue, who has been living at San Antonio, Tex., for the last few months, has returned to St. Louis to spend Christmas with her parents. She returns to Texas after a week here.

Mrs. John J. Sutton of Denver, and her small daughters, Sally Ann and Susan Mae, arrived Monday to spend the holidays with Mrs. Sutton's mother, Mrs. Ewell Smith, 5746 Westminster place. They plan to remain a month.

Miss Elizabeth Funsten, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward S. Funsten, McKnight road, left today for Memphis, Tenn., where she will attend the debut ball tomorrow of a Vassar classmate, Miss Elizabeth Campbell. Miss Funsten made her own debut Monday. She will return to St. Louis Friday when she will be guest of honor at a cocktail party given that afternoon at 4:30 o'clock by Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Russell, 89 Arundel place.

Mr. and Mrs. David M. Flournoy, 107 Glen road, Webster Groves, will entertain 50 of their friends Christmas day at an egg nog party at their home. Guests of honor will be Mr. and Mrs. Howard Richardson and Richard I. Scott. Mr. and Mrs. Richardson, formerly of Milwaukee, are now living at 223 Rosemont avenue, Webster Groves. Mr. Scott has come from his home in Denver, to spend the holidays with his sister, Mrs. Thomas H. Hall.

Guests include present and former members of the Saturday Night Dancing Club.

Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Philip Hilts, 14 Hortense place, left Sunday morning for Greenwich, Conn., to visit their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Rumsey Hilts. They plan to stay over Chritsmas, and will return about the middle of January.

IN an elaborate setting of white, silver and red, Miss Dorothy Ann Mummert will make her bow to society this afternoon at a reception from 3 to 5 o'clock and a tea dance from 5 to 7 o'clock at the St. Louis Woman's Club. Mrs. Arden John Mummert, 6901 Kingsbury boulevard, will present her daughter to friends at the earlier party and with Mr. Mummert will meet the debutantes and escorts who have been invited for dancing later.

A large white folding fan, silver ribbed and bordered across the top in hundreds of Chieftain roses, will form the background for the receiving line in the club lounge. Dozens of white spruce trees, indirectly lighted, stand behind the fan before bay windows curtained in white silk. The debutante will wear her Veiled Prophet ball gown—white net over satin, dotted with brilliants hand-sewn in a snowflake design. The halter neckline crosses at the back near the waist, which is marked by a belt in the same glittering snowflake pattern. She will carry a loose bouquet of red roses.

Mrs. Mummert has chosen a long-sleeved black crepe gown. Below the heart-shaped neckline are three large pearl and ruby buttons. She will wear a spray of white orchids.

Small fan-shaped porcelain vases of the red blossoms stand at either side of the lounge mantel which has been overhung with silver ivy. Diminutive white spruces bank the fireplace. Ivy has been used to partially conceal the wall light fixtures.

The entrance to the Colonial dining room, overhung in white smilax, is marked by two large white trees. Just inside, a Maltese cross table, covered in white satin, has been arranged. Quantities of silver ivy and the roses spray from the large centerpiece and down the four wings of the board gardenias will be garlanded. White tapers will burn in silver candelabra. At the opposite end of the hall, an orchestra will play from a raised platform bordered across the front in white trees, graduating from tiny ones in middle to those of ceiling height on the ends. Illuminated snowballs will gleam from the spruce across which shafts of colored lights will play.

Between the smilax garlanded pillars will be arranged the trees to half hide the tables.

Scores of vases and bowls of gift flowers will line the hall.

The following debutantes will serve during the reception: Miss Sara Jane Avant, Miss Alice Jane Meyer, Miss Genevieve Mullins, Miss Mildred Bakewell, Miss Katharine Bernays, Miss Margaret Thrower, Miss Sally Avery, Miss Marjorie Morrissa, Miss Virginia Brown, Miss Hester Stocker, Miss Anne Reinholdt, Miss Margaret Cornwell, Miss Josephine Fusz, Miss Nancy Lee Morrill, Miss Susan Meston, Miss Elizabeth Hoerr, Miss Eunice Holderness, Miss Nancy Houser, Miss Frances McPheeters, Miss Dorothy Waltke, Miss Margaret Ann and Miss Abigail Gross.

Receiving with Mrs. Mummert in the early afternoon will be Mrs. Ralph Boozer, her sister, and Mrs. Donald Test, both of Minneapolis. Those assisting the hostess will be Mrs. Forrest L. Avant, Mrs. Herbert Armistead, Mrs. Thomas Boyd Armistead, Mrs. Norman S. Brown, Mrs. Adrian W. Frazier, Mrs. L. A. Harris, Mrs. Fred A. Hermann, Mrs. Matthews Houser, Mrs. Roland M. Hoerr, Mrs. A. W. Morriss Jr., Mrs. H. Vester Mullins, Mrs. J. Edgar Stewart, Mrs. Paul C. Simmons, Mrs. Herbert Knapp. Mrs. Boozer will depart tonight for Miami Beach, Fla., and Mrs. Test will return home.

Another group of the hostess' friends will preside at the table during the tea dance. They will be Mrs. Stuart Butler, Mrs. Robert E. Grote, Mrs. Paul Goessling, Mrs. W. D. Hemenway Jr., Mrs. Milton Kahle, Mrs. Frances Kauffman and Mrs. Walter Mayne.

The debutante was graduated last June from Bradford Junior College, Bradford, Mass. She attended preparatory school at Mary Institute.

Mr. and Mrs. John Guhman, 7126 Maryland avenue, and Mr. and Mrs. Francis Rozier of Ste. Genevieve, Mo., will entertain at a dance Tuesday night, Dec. 28, from 9 to 1 o'clock in the Tower Room of the Congress Hotel. Guests of honor will be Miss Mary Elizabeth Rozier, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rozier, and Miss Virginia Weber, sister of Mrs. Guhman. The two girls were classmates two years ago at Villa Duchesne, and are now home for the holidays from their respective colleges. Miss Rozier is a student at Trinity College, Washington, and Miss Weber attends Manhattanville College of the Sacred Heart, New York.

About 200 guests have been invited.

## YEHUDI MENUHIN TO PLAY 'LOST CONCERTO' HERE TWICE

### First Presentation of Schumann Opus With Symphony Tomorrow Evening and Sunday.

The first presentation in St. Louis of the so-called "lost concerto" of Robert Schumann will be given by Yehudi Menuhin, 20-year-old violinist, at concerts of the St. Louis Symphony Orchestra at 8:30 o'clock tomorrow evening and 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon at Municipal Auditorium. Vladimir Golschmann will conduct.

Menuhin, who ended a two-year retirement last September, also will play the Brahms violin concerto, which he say bears considerable thematic similarity to the Schumann opus. Menuhin gave the first America performance of the latter in New York two weeks ago, with piano accompaniment.

The orchestra's regular concert days have been changed because of Christmas. Saturday night subscribers will attend tomorrow evening, and Friday afternoon subscribers Sunday.

The detailed program follows:

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| Ballet Suite from "Cephale et Procris" — — — — — | —Gretry-Mottl |
| Concerto in D Minor (Last Opus) for Violin and Orchestra<br>(First American Orchestral Performances) | —Robert Schumann |
| Concerto in D Major for Violin and Orchestra, Opus 77 — — — — | —Brahms |

## JOHN ALT FUNERAL TOMORROW

### Former Clayton Street Commissioner Died at 91 Years of Age.

Funeral services for John Alt, former Street Commissioner of Clayton and Civil War veteran, who died yesterday of infirmities at his home on Conway road, St. Louis County, will be held at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon at Alexander Mortuary, 6175 Delmar boulevard, with burial in Mount Lebanon Cemetery.

Mr. Alt, 91 years old, was a brother of the late Louis Alt, former St. Louis Postmaster. He retired from his Clayton position three years ago after having served for 18 years and prior to that helped operate a livery stable at Eighteenth street and Russell boulevard. He was a member of Harry P. Harding Post No. 107, G. A. R., having served 18 months in the Union forces during the Civil War. Surviving are six daughters.

## AUGUST A. HEMAN'S FUNERAL

### Services for Road Contractor Held This Afternoon.

Funeral services for August A. Heman, road contractor, of Mattese, St. Louis County, who died of cancer Monday at De Paul Hospital, were held today at the Alexander mortuary, 6175 Delmar boulevard, with burial in Bellefontaine Cemetery.

Mr. Heman, 57 years old, was head of the Independent Quarry and Construction Co., which went out of business several years ago. Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Elvira Brook Heman; a son, Arthur B. Heman, and a brother, William F. Heman.

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# Frank B. Kellogg Dies at 81

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instruction in exchange for his services in sweeping out the office. He worked out his board and room doing stable chores for a farmer.

In 1877 he was admitted to the bar. The next year he was elected City Attorney of Rochester. In 1880 he formed a partnership with Burt W. Eaton, but clients were few and the firm went into politics. The two ran for the office of District Attorney in 1881, Kellogg as a Republican and Eaton as a Democrat, because the salary of $800 a year was needed for the firm. Kellogg won.

As City Attorney the young lawyer participated with Cushman K. Davis, then a leading Minnesota attorney, in a successful suit to recover a $100,000 issue of bonds authorized to finance a new railway line. As a result of this association with Davis, who later became a United States Senator, the law firm of Davis, Kellogg & Severance was formed at St. Paul in 1887. For 30 years this firm had one of the most profitable legal practices in the Northwest. After Davis died in 1900, Kellogg became senior partner.

Kellogg was general counsel for the Federal Steel Co. and the United States Steel Corporation in that territory and was retained by the Pullman company, the Chicago Great Western, Northern Pacific, Duluth and Iron Range and Duluth, Mesabi & Northern Railway companies, the Minnesota Iron Co., the Oliver Iron Mining Co. and many other industries. The connections were held against him when he was picked later to represent the Government against some of the big industrial combinations of the country.

### Aided in "Trust Busting."

Kellogg was picked by President Theodore Roosevelt as Government counsel for some of his administration's most famous "trust busting." The first case was against the Western Paper Co., commonly called the "western paper trust." Kellogg, as special counsel for the Government, won a decree of dissolution against the corporation at St. Paul in June, 1906.

Then he was picked for similar work against the Standard Oil Co. This case came before the United States Circuit Court of Appeals at St. Louis Nov. 15, 1906, and again Kellogg won a decision that the nation-wide corporation then existing was acting in restraint of trade. Its dissolution into companies chartered in New Jersey, Kentucky, Indiana and California followed.

Long before the dissolution decree of the lower courts finally was upheld by the Supreme Court of the United States, the Minnesotan was nationally known as "Kellogg, the trust buster."

In that role he was retained by the Interstate Commerce Commission in 1907 to investigate the methods whereby Edward H. Harriman's Union Pacific had gained control of the Southern Pacific, the Chicago & Alton and other lines.

The upshot was another dissolution suit which also reached the Supreme Court and resulted in a finding that the control of the Southern Pacific by the Union Pacific was illegal.

Kellogg also had a part in anti-trust proceedings against the International Harvester Co. and the "Tobacco Trust."

### Advance in Politics.

Meanwhile Kellogg had been going ahead in political circles. He was named Republican National Committeeman for Minnesota in 1904, and held the position eight years. He was delegate to the Republican national conventions of 1904, 1908 and 1912.

In 1916, the year of the Hughes-Wilson presidential campaign, he was nominated for the United States Senate, was elected and served the six-year term starting March 4, 1917. He gave up all his legal retainers before taking his seat, causing one Minnesota paper to remark that the State was "getting a $100,000 lawyer for $10,000."

In the controversy over the treaty of Versailles, Kellogg was one of the "mild reservtaionists" who favored American membership in the League of Nations under less drastic reservations than those demanded by the Republican leaders, but under conditions that were not acceptable to the Wilsonian Democrats. Kellogg also advocated participation by the United States in the World Court.

Retired from the Senate by the Farmer-Labor party victory in 1922 that elected Magnus Johnson, Kellogg went to Santiago, Chile, as a delegate to the fifth Pan-American Conference, then returned to St. Paul and reorganized his law firm.

In December, 1923, President Coolidge appointed him Ambassador to Great Britain. He remained in London a year, representing the United States at a conference on Dawes' plan procedure in August, 1924, and being credited with breaking a deadlock which threatened to stymie that scheme for collecting and distributing war reparations from Germany.

### Named Secretary of State.

He was made Secretary of State when Charles Evans Hughes, after serving in the Harding-Coolidge Cabinet, decided to resume private law practice when Coolidge's own administration took office March 4, 1925.

Most notable of more than 80 international agreements which he aided in negotiating as Secretary of States was the Kellogg-Briand pact in which 59 nations renounced war as an instrument of national policy.

Kellogg and Aristide Briand of France, whose names were joined in the pact, each gave the other credit for originating the idea which grew from a 1927 Easter message of good will issued by Briand to the American people in which he proposed that America and France forever renounce war upon each other.

The treaty led to the award of the 1929 Nobel peace prize to Kellogg, but it didn't halt war, nor did it check aggression. Critics said it was futile because it "lacked teeth."

### Latin-American Problems.

Many post-war readjustments were still in the making and Latin-American problems were pressing and sometimes acute during Kellogg's secretaryship.

Strained relations with Mexico had resulted from new laws there affecting American-owned concessions in land, mining and oil. In June, 1925, Kellogg warned the Mexican administration that it could expect the support of the United States Government "only so long as it protects American lives and property" and fulfilled its international obligations. Appointment of Dwight W. Morrow as Ambassador in 1927 finally resulted in improved relations.

Recurrent revolutions in Nicaragua also engaged attention. Marines withdrawn from there in 1925, were sent back in 1926 and it was not until the next year that Henry L. Stimson, destined to succeed Kellogg as Secretary of State, negotiated an agreement by which all factional leaders except Sandino laid down their arms and a national peace force was organized under American supervision.

The Tacna-Arica dispute, which had kept Peru and Chile diplomatic relations severed since 1911, was settled after considerable difficulty. A plebiscite, conducted in 1925, failed to settle ownership of the territory so in 1926 Kellogg offered the services of the United States as intermediary. It took him two years to bring about a resumption of diplomatic relations. Then through the Ambassadors, Kellogg offered a series of suggestions which resulted in a pact dated May 17, 1929, under which Chile retained Arica and its nitrate fields and Peru took Tacna and $6,000,000.

Other events of Kellogg's administration included the first exchange of ministers with Canada and resumption of diplomatic relations with Turkey in 1927. China's nationalist Government was recognized in 1928. Another phase of the Chinese question, the convening of a conference which recognized China's tariff autonomy and, later, a meeting of an international commission on extraterritorial privileges for foreigners, were credited to Kellogg's leadership.

### Criticism of Kellogg.

The Secretary was criticised violently for declining to make exceptions in enforcing laws against admission of revolutionary agitators to the United States. He denied a passport to a member of the British Parliament, Saklatvala, because he was a Communist, and he barred also the Countess Karolyi, wife of the Hungarian Liberal leader. In each case the Secretary replied to critics that such was the law and he believed in enforcing it.

Kellogg became the target of further criticism in November, 1926, when Robert E. Olds, one of his assistants, gave a statement to newspaper men picturing Mexico as fostering Bolshevism in both its own domain and in Nicaragua and raising the vision of a Bolshevist union existing between the United States and the Panama Canal. Olds refused to be quoted on the subject, then later, when Mexico protested, denied the interview. It was thereupon charged in Congress that the State Department was using the press to propagandize against a friendly foreign power and there were demands for Kellogg's dismissal. But the Senate stifled demands for an inquiry and the affair simmered away.

Kellogg, slight, stoop-shouldered and in his seventy-third year, was about ready to retire from active life when he finished his four years as Secretary of State. But a year and a half later Hughes, appointed Chief Justice of the United States, resigned his place on the bench of the World Court and the League of Nations, in September, 1930, chose Kellogg as his successor. One of his outstanding findings as an international jurist was a dissenting opinion when the court ruled against a proposed customs union between Germany and Austria. Kellogg held the plan entirely legal, discarding the idea that it contravened the German territorial limitation clauses of the Treaty of Versailles.

His resignation from the World Court Sept. 9, 1935, closed 57 years of public activities.

### Friendly, Always Busy.

Kellogg had the reputation in Washington of being one of the friendliest men who ever sat in the Senate or the Cabinet. Personal contact, talking things over across a conference or luncheon table, was his favorite method of keeping in touch with developments.

He was a man of deep religious feeling and impressed a Paris assemblage when, after laying a wreath on the tomb of France's unknown soldier, he dropped to his knees for several minutes of silent prayer.

Another sidelight on the man shows him blushing and stammering at a dinner given in his honor at The Hague to welcome him to the World Court, when he was given an ovation on receipt of word that he had won the Nobel prize.

Golf was his great relaxation. He shot an unusually good game and scored in the eighties even after he had passed 75 and had almost lost the sight of one eye.

Many honors besides the Nobel prize were bestowed on him. He was Government delegate to the universal congress of lawyers and jurists held at St. Louis in 1904 and president of the American Bar Association 1912-13. He was an honorary bencher of the Middle Temple, London, and received the honorary degree of LL.D. from McGill University, Montreal (1913), the University of Pennsylvania (1926), New York University (1927), Trinity College (1929) and Harvard University (1929).

Oxford University, England, gave him the degree of D.C.L. and France the grand cross of the Legion of Honor in 1929.

Kellogg was a bachelor until his fortieth year. In 1896 he married Clara M. Cook of Rochester, Minn.

### "Champion of Peace," Says French Foreign Office Spokesman.

PARIS, Dec. 22.—A foreign office spokesman characterized Frank B. Kellogg today as "one of the world's greatest champions of peace."

"Aristide Briand himself gave Mr. Kellogg credit for originating the idea for the pact which brought 59 nations together to renounce war," the spokesman declared. "Even today the pact stands as a record of the world desire for peace.

"Mr. Kellogg's activities as a statesman and diplomat were all designed to reinforce that peace. He was one of the world's great men and France will not forget him."

The French press had published daily bulletins since he became seriously ill.

### British Press Called Him "Silent Diplomat," "Friendly Ambassador."

By the Associated Press.

LONDON, Dec. 22.—News of the death of Frank B. Kellogg was received with deep regret in England.

Although the average Briton knew him almost solely because of the peace pact, governmental and diplomatic circles remembered him well.

During his brief service as Ambassador in 1923-25 the British press gave him two nicknames — the "silent diplomat" and the "friendly Ambassador."

Two of his warm friends here were the Duke of Windsor, then Prince of Wales, and Lady Astor, woman member of the House of Commons.

### Roosevelt Praises Kellogg as Indefatigable Worker for Peace.

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22.—President Roosevelt praised the late Frank B. Kellogg as "an indefatigable worker in behalf of world peace,' in a statement issued today.

"An outstanding and sincere figure in our national life and in world affairs has gone in the passing of Frank B. Kellogg," the President said. 'An indefatigable worker in behalf of world peace, he never lost faith in the superiority of the arbitrament of reason to physical force in the government of man."

# REFUSAL OF PENSION TO MAN AIDED BY CHILDREN UPHELD

### State Commission Supports County Secretary in Case of H. C. Price, Neosho.

By the Associated Press.

JEFFERSON CITY, Dec. 22.—The State Social Security Commission upheld yesterday the refusal of the Newton County pension secretary to place Houston C. Price, Neosho, on the old age pension rolls. Price's appeal was denied by the commission on the ground his children were giving him and his wife at least $55 a month.

This was the first appeal to the commission since the start of the old age assistance program. Price's attorneys had said an appeal would be taken to the Circuit Court if the commission's decision were adverse.

No action was taken by the commission on a proposal to publish names of pension recipients as a means to eliminate "chiselers" from the rolls. However, the commission ordered the county staffs to "vigorously and promptly" reinvestigate the rolls and indorsed Gov. Stark's recent demand for a purge of ineligibles.

# DEMOCRATIC PARTIES ELECT RUMANIAN CHAMBER MAJORITY

### Premier Tatarescu Expected to Retain Control; Gain by Pro-German Party Is Surprise.

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Tatarescu's Liberal party elected 147 of the new Chamber's 387 members. Though this was not enough for outright control, the Government was not expected to resign, as the democratically-disposed parties, including the Liberal, had a large majority.

The National Peasant party of Juliu Maniu won 77 seats. Nicholas Titulescu, former Foreign Minister who returned to Rumania a month ago after a year of voluntary exile, re-entered political life by winning a seat with a large majority.

### 5-Word Will.

GENEVA, Ill., Dec. 22.—A five-word will disposed today of the $2500 estate of Joseph Horvath, Aurora laborer. Written on the back of a small sales slip, the will read: "Give my wife my money." It was dated Dec. 14, the day before Horvath's death.

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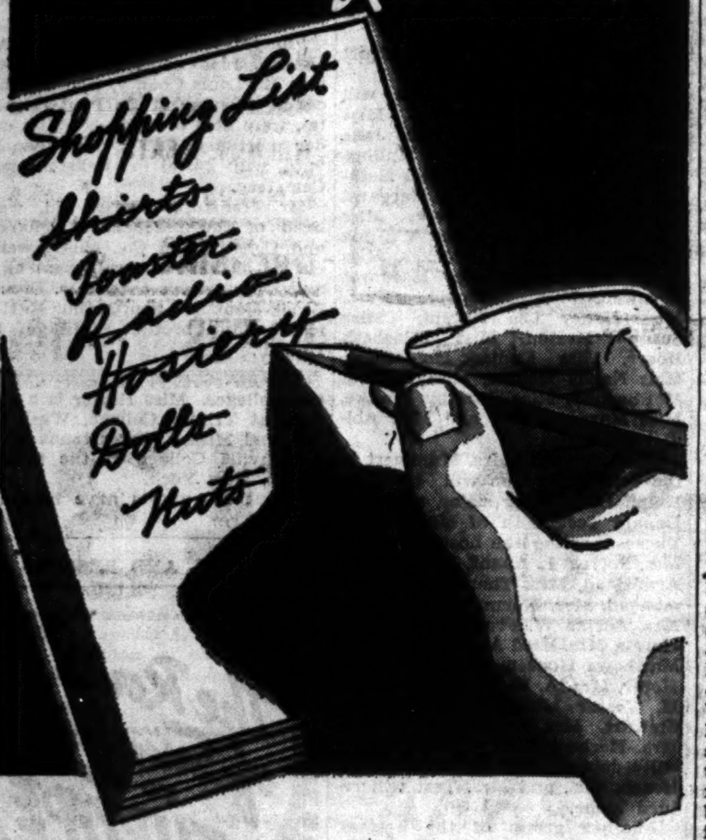

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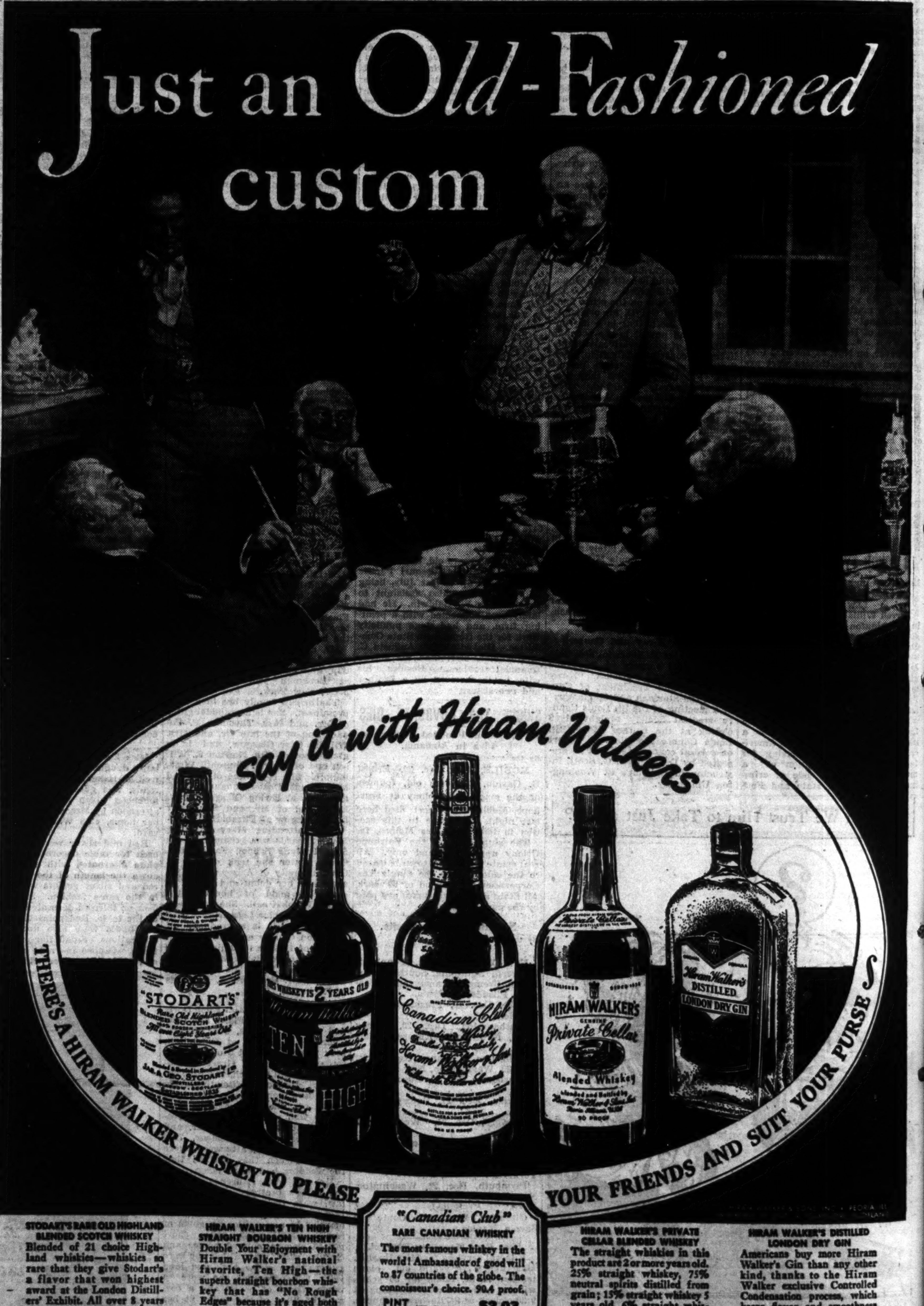
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Tatarescu's Liberal party elected 147 of the new Chamber's 387 members. Though this was not enough for outright control, the Government was not expected to resign, as the democratically-disposed parties, including the Liberal, had a large majority.

The National Peasant party of Juliu Maniu won 77 seats. Nicholas Titulescu, former Foreign Minister who returned to Rumania a month ago after a year of voluntary exile, re-entered political life by winning a seat with a large majority.

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# Home Economics

## Holiday Menus

**CHRISTMAS DINNER**

1.
Tangerine Cocktail
Celery Olives
Roast Turkey with Dressing
Mashed Potatoes Buttered Brussels Sprouts
Cranberry Salad
Southern Plum Pudding
Coffee Nuts, Raisins

2.
Shrimp Cocktail
Baked Ham with Fruit Sauce
Mashed Sweet Potatoes Creamed Peas
Mixed Greens Salad with Pimento Strips
Frozen Pudding
Coffee Christmas Cookies Mints

**BUFFET SUPPER**

Baked Oysters, Mexican Style Sweet Potato Puffs
Celery Olives Pickles
Hot Rolls Currant Jelly
Cranberry Sherbet
Coffee or Tea Fruit Cake Cookies

**LUNCHEON**

Tomato Juice
Creamed Turkey on Waffles
Celery Stuffed Olives
Mince Meat Tarts Coffee

**CHILDREN'S PARTY**

Christmas Tree Cake Vanilla Ice Cream
Cocoa Hard Candies

Reci--- given below.

## HOLIDAY RECIPES

**Tangerine Cocktail.**

One and three-quarters cups tangerine juice.

One package lemon flavored gelatin.

One cup tangerine sections.

Finely chopped mint.

Heat tangerine juice almost to boiling; pour over gelatin; add lemon juice. Set in pan of ice water, and when thick, add tangerine sections; pour into oblong pan; chill thoroughly. To serve, cut into ½ inch squares, pile into cocktail glasses and sprinkle chopped mint, blended with tangerine juice, on top.

**Cranberry Salad.**

Two cups cranberries.
One cup boiling water.
One and one-third tablespoons gelatin.
Four tablespoons cold water.
Three-fourths cup sugar.
One-fourth teaspoon salt.
One cup finely diced celery.
Two cups diced apple.
One-half cup chopped nut meats.
Mayonnaise.

Cook cranberries in the boiling water until the skins burst. Put through a sieve, add gelatin which has been soaked in the cold water, then the sugar and salt, stirring until dissolved. Cool until jelly begins to congeal and add remaining ingredients. Turn into molds and chill until firm. Unmold on a bed of lettuce and garnish with mayonnaise.

**Southern Plum Pudding.**

Scald ½ pound fine stale bread crumbs with one cup hot milk. Let stand until cold. Add ¼ pound sugar, four beaten egg yolks, ½ pound chopped raisins, ¼ pound currants, one ounce finely chopped citron, one ounce finely chopped candied orange peel, ¼ pound finely chopped figs, ½ pound chopped suet, two tablespoons wine, two tablespoons brandy, ½ grated nutmeg, ½ teaspoon cinnamon, ¼ teaspoon clove, one-third teaspoon mace and ½ tablespoon salt. Fold in four stiffly beaten egg whites. Turn into buttered mold, cover and steam about six hours. Serve hot with favorite sauce.

**Frozen Pudding.**

One and three-quarter cups pineapple juice.

One-quarter cup maraschino cherry juice.

One package strawberry-flavored gelatin.

Ten tablespoons sherry wine.

One-half cup canned crushed pineapple.

Twelve maraschino cherries, chopped.

One-third cup chopped walnut meats.

One and three-quarters cups cream, whipped.

Combine fruit juices and heat. Dissolve gelatin in hot juices. Chill. Pour wine over fruit and let stand. When gelatin mixture is cold and syrupy, place in bowl of cracked ice or ice water and whip with rotary egg beater until fluffy and thick like whipped cream. Fold in fruits and nuts; then whipped cream. Turn into freezing trays of automatic refrigerator and let stand four to five hours, or until frozen. Or turn into two-quart container, cover with waxed paper, press cover down tightly over paper, and pack in equal parts of ice and salt; let stand four to five hours. Makes about two quarts.

**Baked Oysters Mexican.**

One pint large oysters, drained.
Four tablespoons ketchup.
One-half teaspoon worcestershire sauce.
One-quarter teaspoon salt.
Dash of pepper.
One cup soft bread crumbs.
One-half cup cracker crumbs.
Three tablespoons butter.
One-quarter cup grated cheese.

Blend ketchup, worcestershire sauce, salt and pepper. Mix bread and cracker crumbs and fry in butter until golden brown. Place a layer of crumbs in a casserole which has been buttered. Arrange a single layer of oysters and sprinkle with one-half the ketchup mixture. Repeat and top with crumbs mixed with cheese. Bake in a hot oven (400 degrees) for 25 minutes. This amount makes five portions. When preparing a larger amount use additional casseroles or baking dishes so there are only two layers of oysters.

**Sweet Potato Puffs.**

Two cups cold mashed potatoes.
One egg yolk.
One-fourth teaspoon salt.
Six tablespoons melted butter.
Six marshmallows.
Two cups cereal flakes.

Add the egg yolk to the mashed sweet potatoes, salt, and two tablespoons of butter. Divide into six portions. Place one marshmallow in the center and mold the potato around it. Crush cereal flakes and add butter. Roll balls in these, place on a buttered cookie sheet and bake in a hot oven (400 degrees) for 10 minutes.

**Christmas Tree Cake.**

One-half cup butter.
One cup sugar.
One teaspoon vanilla.
Two cups pastry flour.
Two teaspoons baking powder.
One-half teaspoon salt.
One-half cup milk.
Three egg whites, stiffly beaten.

Cream butter, add sugar and cream thoroughly. Add vanilla. Sift together the flour, salt and baking powder and add to butter mixture alternately with the milk. Fold in stiffly beaten egg whites and pour into two greased layer tins. Bake in a moderate oven (350 degrees) for 25 minutes. Cut layers to resemble a tree, first placing one on top of the other. Put layers together with a fluffy frosting and then cover the top and sides. Sprinkle colored candies and silver dragees on the cake to simulate ornaments and festoons. On the tips place tiny red candles in holders.

**Cranberry Sherbet.**

Four cups cranberries.
Three cups boiling water.
Two cups sugar.
One tablespoon gelatin.
One-half cup cold water.
Two tablespoons lemon juice.
Two teaspoons bitters.

Wash and pick over cranberries; add boiling water and cook rapidly until the skins pop and berries are soft. Force through sieve, add sugar. Soften gelatin in cold water, dissolve in hot juice; cool mixture. Add lemon juice and bitters. Turn into freezing trays of automatic refrigerator, and freeze until firm, stirring occasionally. Approximate yield: one quart sherbet.

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## PUNCH BESPEAKS HOLIDAY HOSPITALITY

### Hot Drinks Should Be Really So and Cold Ones Should Be Icy.

The art of gracious hospitality is in part the thoughtfulness which prompts unexpected courtesies, the serving of an exceptionally delicious bit of food, or an eloquent drink. Parties need punch, hot or cold.

If the drink is cold it should be icy. If it is a hot drink it should be really so and served in little mugs. Have the punch on a side table with plenty of clean glasses so the guests can help themselves. For larger parties it is a good idea to provide some sandwiches, Christmas cookies and fruit cake sliced thin, and perhaps a large bowl of salad.

A fruit punch may be made of fruit juices, tea, ginger ale and charged water and a light wine for flavor. Now that there are so many canned fruit juices on the market no hostess should be at a loss to concoct her own fruit drink, hot or cold.

**Ideal Punch.**
(For 25).

Two cups grapefruit juice.
One cup raspberry syrup.
Eight cups pineapple juice.
Four cups ginger ale.
Ice block—mint.
Fruit for garnish.

Mix fruit and raspberry syrup and chill. When ready to serve, add ginger ale, ice and decorate with the fruits and mint.

**Iced Orange Punch.**

Four cups sugar.
Two cups water.
Two cups lemon juice.
Two quarts grape juice.
Two quarts crushed pineapple (canned).
Orange slices.
Two cups fresh Florida orange juice.

Cook sugar and water for five minutes; cool. Add fruit juices and pineapple. Serve over cracked ice; garnish with orange slices. Serves 40.

**Sauterne Punch.**

Two cups grapefruit juice.
Four cups pineapple juice.
Four cups ginger ale.
One pint Sauterne.
One pint claret.
Six ounces sugar.
One-half pint raspberry syrup.
Block of ice and fruit garnish.

Mix fruit juices with sugar, add raspberry juice and chill. Just before serving add ginger ale, claret and Sauterne. Pour into punch bowl with block of ice and garnish with fruit and sprigs of mint.

**Hot Grapefruit Toddy.**
(One serving.)

Two-thirds cup fresh grapefruit juice.
One-third cup water.
Three teaspoons sugar syrup.
Grapefruit slices cut in quarters.
One-half teaspoon bitters.
Whole cloves.

Add water to grapefruit juice; stir in sugar syrup. Add bitters and heat all together. Slice one grapefruit, and quarter the slices; dot with whole cloves and serve in hot drink for garnish. Increase recipe to amount desired.

**Peach Juice Nog.**

Two eggs.
One cup whipping cream.
One cup chilled peach juice.
Three tablespoons confectioner's sugar.
Two and one-half cups chilled milk.
One-half teaspoon lemon extract.
Few grains salt.
Nutmeg.

Combine one egg and one-half cup cream and beat well. Add remaining egg and beat again. Combine one-half cup peach juice and two tablespoons sugar and beat into egg mixture. Add milk, flavoring and salt, and blend well. Add remaining tablespoon sugar to remainder of fruit juice and fold into one-half cup cream that has been whipped until stiff. Pour egg and milk mixture into glasses, filling about two-thirds full; finish filling with cream mixtures. Sprinkle with nutmeg and serve immediately.

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# Home Economics

## Old World Christmas Is One of Much Tradition

### Special Foods and Colorful Customs Play Part in Scandinavian and Slavic Celebrations.

Christmas in America is rather unique since a great many old world traditions have come to be part of our celebration. It is this combination of the old and the new that makes American Christmas such a fascinating occasion.

English and German traditions are well known in the city but very little is known of the Scandinavian and Slavic customs and ceremonies. The Scandinavian Christmas is the world's oldest since it is a combination of the Christian and the ancient Yuletide customs surviving from centuries before the time of the Vikings.

In Sweden Yule festivities are well under way as early as Dec. 13. That is St. Lucia's day, and in memory of the medieval saint who fed the hungry, a young girl in each household dressed in white and with a crown of leaves and lighted candles on her head goes from room to room wakening her family and their guests and leaving hot coffee and fresh buns by the bedsides.

**Culminates Feasting.**

Christmas eve in Scandinavian households marks the culmination of feasting and gaiety for the period intervening between Saint Lucia's day and "Juledag." The women and girls are busy all day decorating the house with greens and candles, and preparing special dishes for the great dinner. The men arrive home early from work, and immediately the fun—and the eating—begins. The first event, which no one must miss, is the gathering in the kitchen to dip slices of wort bread into the great simmering pots where Christmas hams, sausages and corned beef are rapidly coming to the point of edible perfection. This is eaten "for luck;" then everyone drinks toasts and exchanges good wishes for "a happy Yule." In Sweden the drink is "glogg," a most delectable concoction of wines, almonds, raisins, spices and sugar; it is served hot and is reputed to be especially good, among other things, for cold feet on sleigh rides.

Dinner is an impressive affair. After an extensive selection of appetizing "smorgasbord" the customary Christmas "lutfisk" is brought in and greeted with "Oh's" and "Ah's" even more eager than the ejaculations which usually announce the arrival of the turkey of an American table. "Lutfisk" is a kind of boiled codfish which has undergone a most elaborate process of preparation, and is served with potatoes, drawn butter, and green peas. Then come various kinds of sausage and the great Christmas ham, followed by a very special rice porridge in which one almond is invariably hidden. If a Norwegian or Swedish girl finds the almond she is certain to be married within a year; but in Denmark the finder is merely rewarded with a gift. There, as in Norway, a portion of the pudding is carried by the children out to the barn, where lives a little bearded gnome called the Julenisse who brings Christmas cheer to the family if gratefully treated.

**Presents and Poetry.**

When the meal is finally over everyone crowds into the room where the Christmas tree has been placed, and many candles are lighted while the unwrapping of gifts begins. If you give presents in Sweden you must be a poet; for every package is accompanied by little rhymes for the amusement of the recipient. These are read aloud as the unwrapping goes on, and the party becomes merrier and merrier until everyone has finished discovering his gifts, when carol-singing, dancing and general revelry begin, to be prolonged late into the winter night.

But no matter how late they go to bed, the hardy Norsemen are up at dawn on Christmas morning to attend the special early church service. In some parts of Sweden the people still wear their colorful national costumes as they set out through the snow on skis or in sleighs to attend this time-honored service.

When it is over they returrn home for a large breakfast—a "breakfast" which goes on nearly all day as appetites are renewed in trying out Christmas skis and skates in the cold but invigorating air of the surrounding countryside; for the table is never cleared of food and always welcomes back whoever feels "that full feeling" beginning to fade away.

**Slavic Feast Differs.**

Since St. Andrew's day Polish maidens have been anxiously watching sprigs of the cherry tree in water-filled vases, praying that they will blossom by Christmas. If blossoms come she will surely find a husband within the 12 months to come. In the meantime Poland is stocking her pantries, rehearsing her carols, making her star-shaped lanterns and redecorating the "szopkas" for the jolly puppet shows which mark a Polish Christmastide.

The Polish Christmas festival is among the most colorful in Europe. It is strikingly different from the American Christmas from the child's viewpoint. Santa Claus does not come on Christmas night, but on the night of Dec. 6, which is the feast day of St. Nicholas, and then and then only does he fill stockings. On Christmas day the little ones find toys of the tree, but they are the gifts of parents.

When the first star shines on Christmas eve, the "wigilja," or vigil dinner (Christmas dinner), begins. Under the white tablecloth are put stars in memory of the birth of Jesus in a manger. Before the food is touched, however, a thin wafer made of water and flour, which has been blessed by the priest, is passed around by the host and hostess. It bears the imprint of the Infant Jesus.

Traditionally this meal begins with beet soup or almond soup in which float little patties of mushrooms (uska). Then come fish and cabbage, rice bread with poppy seeds and a compote of peaches, cherries or other fruit and nuts and raisins. The dessert is peculiar to Polish vigil meals and consists of red cherry jelly covered with white almond milk, thus combining the colors of the Polish flag.

**Straws for Wishes.**

When everyone has eaten, wine and vodka are drunk in silence as wishes are made. Then to see whether their wishes will come true the diners draw straws from under the table cloth. If one draws a long straw that means the wish will come true.

The end of the wigilja marks the beginning of the children's part of Christmas. Doors of the living room are thrown open and the brilliantly lighted Christmas tree is shown them, and on it are toys and other gifts, many carved in wood, along with cookies and gingerbread. Later when the children are in bed the older ones go to midnight mass and to a service known as the pastorales in commemoration of the two shepherd kings who, guided by a star, visited the Infant Jesus on the night of his birth.

Christmas day is one of rest; but in the evening it is traditional for villagers to go to the manor house where they enact an ancient religio-folk drama of King Herod's Villainy (his slaughter of the children in Judea). The piece lasts only a few moments and ends abruptly when an actor dressed as the devil leads Herod to Hell. Then all sing Christmas carols.

In Poland Christmas ceremonials end on Jan. 6 which is Three Kings' day. On this day little boxes of incense, myrrh, gold and chalk are sold at church doors. These boxes are purchased and cherished by the faithful. With the chalk they inscribe the initials of the Three Wise Men or Kings—K for Kasper, M for Melchior and B for Balthazzar. It is popularly believed that this will forestall misfortune during the coming year.

On this day, too, boys go from house to house carrying star-shaped lanterns made of colored paper and attached to the end of a pole. Marionette shows with the colorful szopkas also play an important part in the Christmas of Polish children. Showmen carry their little puppets from house to house enacting the story of Jesus' birth and the little ones usually follow him singing Christmas carols, known in Polish as kolendy.

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Of all our festive days, none is so gay and colorful, so rich in tradition as is Christmas. It is time to be merry, to deck the house with holly and mistletoe, and to be hospitable. This is the perfect time to entertain so it is a good idea to make party plans early.

First, there is the family dinner on Christmas day. This important gathering usually sets the pace for the rest of the holiday entertainment so it should be a grand occasion. A well thought out table with a few simple decorations will give a gala tone. The table cloth should be your best, creased down the center. Use your best china, glass and silver that you reserve for just such grand occasions. For a centerpiece you might use a wreath of holly and pine, with pine cones or colorful tree ornaments. We like candles as part of the decorations so we suggest that you use your best silver or crystal holders with red or green candles in them.

If you like place cards you might loop narrow red ribbon over small candy canes, tie a place card to one end and hang the canes on the water goblets.

A suggested menu for this and other holiday parties is given in another column in this section.

**Holiday Buffet Supper.**

A casual buffet supper party is the easiest way to top off an evening of fun or to begin one. Of course, holly and pine and cedar, red and green and Christmas tinsel for decorations hold good for this type of party.

Gay red oil cloth makes a good table covering and a service of white dishes contrasts nicely. For a centerpiece a mound of pine branches which have been dipped in starch and had "snow" sifted over them, some colored ornaments, two tall tapers on low holders, serve to give the proper introduction. Have the silver and napkins laid out and have everything arranged so the guests may serve themselves at their leisure.

**A Children's Party.**

In planning our holiday entertainment, we must not forget the children. They enjoy a simple little afternoon party as much as the grownups do the more elaborate evening gatherings. For children you need only collect some games, set a pretty party table, give them little gifts and candy and the party will be a success.

Wrap the gifts for each child in a small box and heap them up to resemble a fireplace. When the proper time comes these gifts may be distributed.

For games we suggest "Christmas Bell" and Sugar Plum Hunt. Seat the children in a circle on the floor, facing out. The player who is "it" stands in the center and tries to guess who has the small bell which is being passed from hand to hand and rung occasionally. The holder of the bell, correctly guessed, takes his place in the center.

For the Sugar Plum Hunt give each child a small tarlton stocking. The object of the game is to find silver and cellophane wrapped lollypops, hard candies, gum drops and popcorn balls which have been concealed. Set the goal at five sugar plums and give a prize to the one who fills his quota first.

For young children an attractive but simple party table should be set. For centerpiece use a sugar plum tree set on a mirror. Little paper baskets with salted nuts or hard candies make nice place card favors.

The menu suggested in another column is a very simple one and avoids any possibility of post-party discomfort.

**Hot Hors D'Oeuvres.**

Combine one-half cup ketchup with one-half teaspoon prepared mustard, two teaspoons each of Worcestershire sauce and melted butter, two tablespoons each of lemon juice and chopped celery, few grains salt and pepper, and one-half cup tuna fish. Saute circles of bread on one side, in a little butter. Spread other side of bread with mixture and broil until thoroughly heated. Salmon, lobster, shrimp or crab meat may be used instead of the tuna fish.

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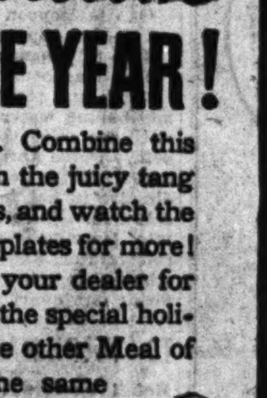

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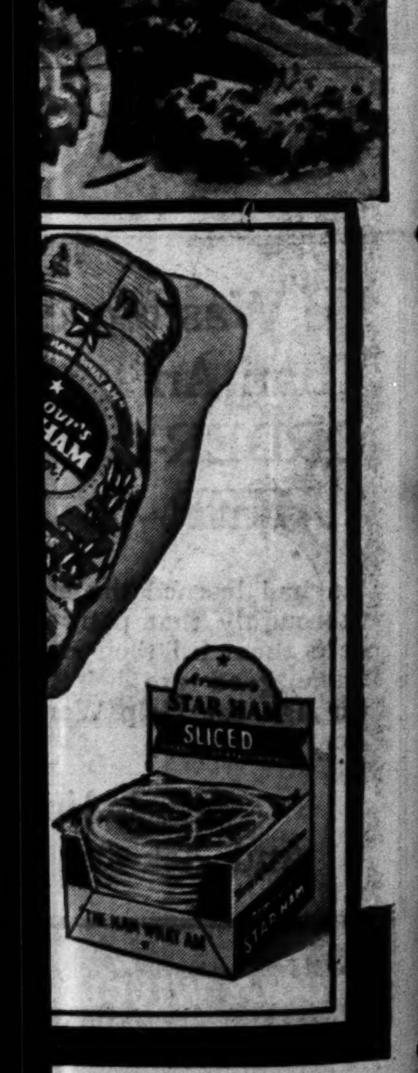

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Two teaspoons baking powder.
One teaspoon salt.
Three-fourths cup peanut butter.
One egg, beaten.
One cup milk.

Sift together the flour, salt, sugar and baking powder. Work in the peanut butter and then the beaten egg, adding the milk last. Turn into greased loaf pan and bake for one hour in a moderate oven (350 degrees).

**Peanut Butter Icebox Cookies.**

Two cups sifted flour.
Three teaspoons baking powder.
One-half teaspoon salt.
One and one-half cups bran.
One-half cup butter or shortening.
One-half cup peanut butter.
One-half cup brown sugar, firmly packed.
One and one-half cups white sugar.
Two eggs well beaten.
Three tablespoons milk.

Sift flour, measure, add baking powder and salt and sift again. Add bran. Cream butter thoroughly, add peanut butter and cream together until smooth. Add sugars gradually and cream well. Add eggs and blend. Add flour mixture alternately with the milk. Shape in a small roll, wrap in waxed paper and chill thoroughly. Cut in one-fourth inch slices and bake on a greased sheet in a hot oven (400 degrees) for eight minutes. Makes four dozen.

## A FIFTEENTH CENTURY DRINK SERVED AT VIGIL OF CHRISTMAS

THE proper drinks were as important a part of Christmas to the English as the plum pudding which became traditional. Here is a drink, served for the "vigil of Christmas" called frumenty because it was made of wheat. This recipe comes from a fifteenth century manuscript.

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"Take qwete (wheat) stryned, that is for to say, brosten, and alay hit with gode swete mylke, and boyle hit, and stere hit wel and put thereto sugre; color hit with saffron; and for a lord put no broth therto, but put thereto a few yolkes of eyren (eggs) beaten, and stere hit wel that hit quayle (curdle) not; and when it is sothen (cooked) serve hit forthe."

## CHRISTMAS BREAKFAST NOT TO BE NEGLECTED

Sometimes breakfasts on feast days are rather sadly neglected in the attendant preparations for the holiday dinner. But breakfast on Christmas is an important meal—for that's when all the family gathers 'round and opens all those gay and mysterious packages that have been nestling tantalizingly under the Christmas tree. With a glass of chilled fruit juice and plenty of steaming coffee—there's a complete breakfast that's easy to prepare and satisfying enough to tide the family over until theh dinner hour.

**Eggs Benedictine.**

Split English muffins in half. Toast and butter them. Broil thin slices of ham and lay on muffins. Lay poached eggs over ham and top with a little Mock Hollandaise sauce.

**Mock Hollandaise Sauce.**

One tablespoon butter.
Two tablespoons flour.
Three-fourths cut evaporated milk.
One-half teaspoon salt.
One-eighth teaspoon pepper.
Few grains cayenne.
Two egg yolks.
One-ofourth cup butter.
One tablespoon lemon juice.

Prepare a white sauce of one tablespoon butter, the flour, milk, salt, pepper and cayenne. Remove from fire and stir in beaten egg yolks. Add the one-fourth cup butter bit by bit, then the lemon juice. Yield: Three-fourths cup, six servings.

## OPEN SEASON NOW FOR HOT DESSERTS

### Main Courses May Be on Light Side When Meal Closes With One of These.

This is the season for hot desserts. Puddings return to our tables; steamers and pots and pans for sauce emerge from the cupboard; aromas waft in from the kitchen and the last course is circled with wisps of steam.

Cooks, unlike hunters and fishermen, are not required to observe "open" or "closed" seasons. But tastes vary with the turn of the earth, and autumn appetites combine with tradition to set up a series of seasons for our favorite foods.

Main courses may be lighter when desserts are hot and hearty. The dessert may be more frugal when it's topped with a hot and luscious sauce. Chilly nights are brighter when the evening meal winds up with a warm dessert.

**Cottage Pudding.**
**(With Butterscotch Sauce)**

One-fourth cup shortening.
Two-thirds cup sugar.
One egg.
One-half cup milk.
One-half teaspoon vanilla.
One and one-half cups flour.
Two teaspoons baking powder.
One-half teaspoon salt.

Cream shortening and sugar together. Add egg and beat smooth. Add the milk, and flavoring; then add flour sifted with baking powder and salt. Mix until smooth. Pour into a greased and floured pan 9x9 inches. Bake in moderate oven (350 degrees) for 25 minutes. While hot, cut into squares and serve with

**Butterscotch Sauce.**

Boil together one cup dark syrup, one-half cup sugar and one tablespoon cream until little syrup forms a soft ball in cold water (232 degrees). Remove from fire; add one tablespoon butter, one-fourth teaspoon salt and one-half teaspoon vanilla. Blend and add two tablespoons boiling water. Serve hot on cottage pudding.

**Praline Bananas.**

Four bananas.
One-half cup brown sugar.
Three-fourths teaspoon salt.
One tablespoon lime or lemon juice.
One tablespoon melted butter.
One-third cup chopped pecan meats or walnut meats.

Cut peeled bananas lengthwise into halves and fry for about one minute in a small amount of butter. Place bananas into a well-greased baking dish. Mix brown sugar and salt together and sprinkle onto bananas. Pour lime or lemon juice and then the melted butter over sugar. Cover with chopped nuts. Bake in a moderate oven (375 degrees) about 10 minutes, or until sugar melts and bananas are tender. Serve hot. Eight servings.

**Grapefruit Souffle.**

One cup milk.
One-half cup grapefruit sections.
Three tablespoons orange juice.
One-half cup sugar.
One-half tablespoon vanilla.
Four tablespoons flour.
Four egg yolks.
Four tablespoons butter.
One tablespoon lemon juice.
Grated rind of one-half orange.

Make a white sauce of the flour, butter and milk; cool. Add remaining ingredients, except egg whites and blend thoroughly. Beat whites until stiff and fold in last. Turn mixture into a buttered baking dish and bake in slow oven (300 degrees) for about one hour. Serve hot.

**Orange Bread Pudding.**

One-half cup scalded milk.
Three-fourths cup stale bread crumbs.
One-half cup orange juice.
Grated rind of one orange.
Two eggs, beaten.
One-third cup sugar.
One-eighth teaspoon salt.

Soak the bread crumbs in the scalded milk for about 10 minutes; add the remaining ingredients; stir until the sugar is dissolved. Pour into well-buttered individual molds or custard cups; set molds or cups in pan of hot water. Bake in a moderate oven (375 degrees) for about 30 minutes or until mixture will not adhere to the tip of a knife inserted in the center. Serve hot with hard sauce.

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One package cheese.
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One-fourth teaspoon grated onion.

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# YULE BREAKFAST MAY BE A HEARTY MEAL

### Substantial Beginning Urged Since Dinner Is Usually a Late One.

Christmas is filled with tradition and sacred observances from the midnight eve services to the joyous family dinners at high noon. Few would care to suggest new ideas for such a day.

The theme of the day is struck at that late, lingering hour of the Christmas morning breakfast which sets the tempo of the whole day. Since this berakfast is later than usual, because everyone must have time to see what Santa brought, t should be made a special occasion dedicated to the family and the guests of the house. This meal should be leisurely, and informal, with good, old-fashioned dishes like those served in grandmother's day.

Such a breakfast begins with fruit. Even in midwinter, there is a wide choice of fruit, dried, canned or fresh, and tempting combinations of fruit juices. These may be served in your gayest glasses, with a sprig of mistletoe, holly or spruce—a little 1937 memento for each member of the family.

Great activities within and without the house on this day of days make necessary an extra supply of energy. Then, too, dinner is apt to be late, so a hearty meal at the beginning of the day is a precautionary measure worthy of consideration. In place of the traditional Yule log roaring in a wide fireplace, most of us will hear the hiss of the steam radiator warning us it is really winter, and so we'll serve little colorful bowls of hot cereal, with plenty of thick cream and brown sugar. In spite of modern appetites and streamlined silhouettes, hot cereal is a cheery dish.

**Main Dishes.**

The array of breakfast main dishes from which to choose is most tempting. In first rank, perhaps, is ham and eggs—thick ham slices, juicy and tender, or thin slices lightly frizzled and curled at the edges. Surrounding the ham, place eggs delicately poached in thin ham gravy. Or perhaps on this Christmas morning omelets are in order, family or individual sized, puffed or Frenched style, plain or with cheese or hash browned potato filling. Accompanying the omelet, there is a tart jelly and crisp bacon or piping hot little sausage links, or thin slices of savory Virginia ham. Perhaps this joyous occasion calls for scrambled eggs and bacon. If you should have a table grill, cook the bacon first and keep it hot while the beaten eggs are cooked to a creamy, fluffy consistency.

Sausage is a dish that graced the Christmas table of our forefathers. Perhaps then it was that the natural affini of sausage and griddle cakes was recognized as worthy of perpetuation. We might add that griddle cakes reach their highest expression in buckwheat and are the most intimate with sausage. Speaking of sausage, you might try sausage cakes cooked slowly until well done and browned to a turn. Add a little water to the drippings and serve in a gravy boat as the dressing for the griddle cakes.

**Hot Breads.**

Of course, muffins, hot biscuits or toast may well be chosen as the bread stuff for this breakfast party. The main consideration is to choose the one that you can make most easily and best.

With such a variety of breakfast meats and breakfast breads, one needs but choose the menu that is most sure to please then buy the quality and style of ham, sausage or bacon that best suits your family tastes. Remember, though, that a quality occasion calls for quality products.

Here are three breakfast menus that typify the spirit of Christmas. They are wholesome, delightful and thoroughly satisfying. So the day is started right with an assured promise of "Merry Christmas."

**Breakfast Menus.**

I.

Apple Sauce on Hot Cereal
Pan Broiled Ham with Poached Eggs
Bran Muffins Orange Marmalade
Coffee

II.

Grapefruit
Hot Cereal and Cream
Buckwheat Cakes Sausage Patties
Sausage Gravy Soft Cooked Eggs
Tart Jelly Coffee

III.

Pineapple Juice
Waffles Bacon Scrambled Eggs
Honey Whole Wheat Toast
Coffee

# COOKIES ADD LUSTER TO FAMILY COOKY JAR

Here is a recipe for a cooky that will add luster to your cooky jar. These crisp little Christmas cookies are given a coating of vanilla powder to add to their deliciousness.

**Christmas Cookies.**

Three-fourths cup butter.
One-fourth cup milk.
One-half teaspoon vanilla.
One and three-fourths cups flour.
Six tablespoons confectioners' sugar.
One cup coarsely ground pecans.

Cream butter until very light and fluffy. Beat in the milk a little at a time until it is all taken up by the butter. Add vanilla. Sift flour, then measure. Resift with confectioners' sugar and add a little at a time to the butter. Add pecans. Roll small bits of dough, about one teaspoonful for each cooky, between palms of hands to form a ball. Place on floured baking sheet and bake in a hot oven (400 degrees) until golden brown, about 15 minutes. Roll cookies in vanilla powder while they are still warm. Yield. Six dozen.

**Vanilla Powder.**

One cup confectioners' sugar.
One tablespoon vanilla.

Mix sugar and vanilla thoroughly. Cover with waxed paper or a cloth to protect it from dust, and place in a warm, dry place for a few days until it is again dray and powdery. Either force through a sieve, to remove lumps, or roll smooth with a rolling pin. Store in a covered jar. Yield: Sufficient for coating six dozen small cookies.

**Fruit Slaw.**

Diced pineapple, apricots, cherries or peaches give a party air to every-day cabbage salad.

**Sponge Cakes.**

Split the lady fingers, spread with jam, put them together, frost the outside with the icing and roll in chopped nuts. These may be served at once. Confectioner's icing may be prepared by adding powdered sugar to an unbeaten egg white and beat, adding sugar until desired stiffness is obtained. Flavor with vanilla. One egg white will need about one cup of powdered sugar.

**Cauliflower Hollandaise.**

Remove leaves, cut off stalk and soak, head down, in cold water for one-half hour. Then cook, head up, in boiling salted water for 20 minutees or until tender. Remove from water, drain and put in serving dish. Place a spoonful of Hollandaise sauce besides each serving.

**Boiled Frosting.**

If a boiled frosting mixture shows signs of hardening in bowl before you can spread ti, beat in a few drops of hot water.

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Fresh — Whole or Half
**HAM ROLL . . .** Lb. **23c**

Delicatessen — Wafer Sliced
**BOILED HAM** ½ lb. **31c**

Nice Size — Dozen
**EGGS** Bulk, Loose **27c**
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Nation-Wide; Red Label — No. 2 Cans
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| JUMBO PECANS<br>Nation-Wide; Stuarts, Lb. | 22c |
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| EXTRA LARGE WALNUTS<br>Calif. Soft Shell — Lb. | 23c |

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| PEANUT BRITTLE<br>Crisp, Crunchy — Lb. | 12c |

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Nation-Wide — Quart Jar
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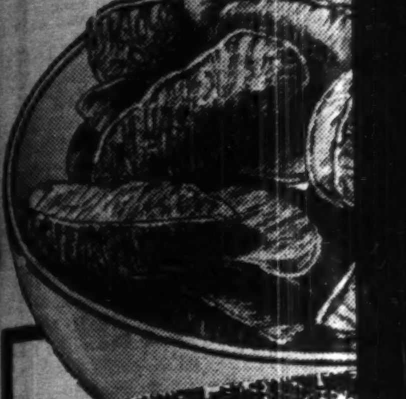

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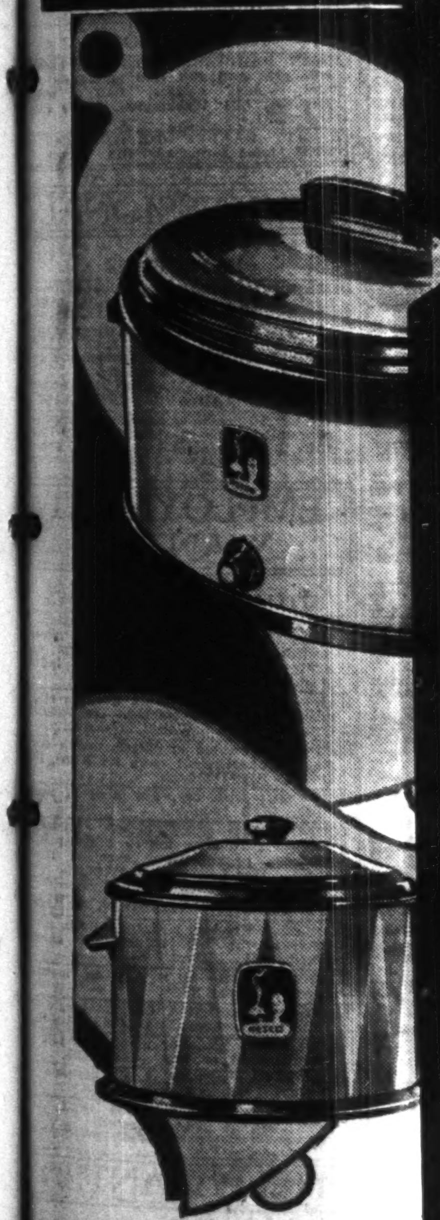

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**Shrimp in Blankets.**

Soak shrimp in milk, with seasoning, wrap them in thin slices of bacon or fat pork; lay in a double broiler and broil brown on both sides. Serve on toasted wafers, with quartered lemons.

# Home Economics

## THIS CHRISTMAS PUDDING IS IN THE BEST ENGLISH TRADITION

HERE is a pudding that is in the best English tradition.

**Ingoldsby Christmas Pudding.**

Mix one pound raisins, one pound currants, one pound sugar, one pound flour, one pound suet, one pound breadcrumbs. Add one tablespoon candied peel, one teaspoon allspice, a little nutmeg, rind of one lemon, eight eggs well beaten and two wine glasses rum or brandy. This amount makes two large puddings. Turn each into a floured cloth, tie up well and boil for seven hours. Serve with a blazing wine sauce.

## HERE IS SIMPLE PUDDING FOR HOLIDAY MEALS

Here is a simple pudding for your holiday entertaining.

**Plum Pudding.**

One (nine-oz.) package dry mince meat and one-half cup water boiled almost dry.
One egg, slightly beaten.
One-half cup nut meats, finely-chopped.
One-half cup orange juice.
One teaspoon grated orange rind.
One and one-half cups dry cake crumbs.

Break mince meat into pieces. Add cold water. Place over heat and stir until all lumps are thoroughly broken up. Bring to brisk boil; continue boiling for three minutes or until mixture is practically dry. Allow to cool. Add slightly beaten egg, nut meats, orange juice and grated rind to cake crumbs. Blend thoroughly. Fold in cooled mince meat. Pour into greased pudding molds, eight individual molds, or baking powder can, filling two-thirds full. Cover tightly and steam one hour, having boiling water half way up on molds. If additional water is needed during steaming, it must be boiling when added. Serve warm with hard sauce or whipped cream. Serves eight.

## HOME MADE CANDIES AS CHRISTMAS GIFTS

### Delight Sweet Tooth of Friends With These Easily Made Confections.

Home made candies, like many a speaker, "Need no introduction" so we shall not give one but get to the point with a number of new recipes. Of course, fudge, pralines, and divinity, to say nothing of fondants, that have been tried and proved, are part of every Christmas box. But in case you want to get on to some new kinds, here are the recipes:

**Nougat.**

Pour one cup light syrup into a saucepan, add two cups granulated sugar, one-eighth teaspoon salt, and one-third cup water and boil until a little tried in cold water forms a hard ball (265 degrees). Beat two egg whites stiff and pour in the candy mixture, beating constantly until the mixture is almost as thick as whipped cream. Stir in one teaspoon vanilla, one-third cup candied cherries (cut fine) and one-half cup chopped almonds; pour into well oiled pan and let stand over night. Nougat should be about one-half inch thick. Cut into oblong pieces and wrap in wax paper.

**Raisin Toffee.**

One cup granulated sugar.
One-half cup water.
Three-fourths cup butter.
One teaspoon vanilla.
One cup seedless raisins.
One-half pound dipping chocolate.
One cup chopped walnut meats.

Boil together sugar and water to dissolve the grain, then add butter slowly in small pieces, stirring constantly to keep it mixed. Cook until it will form a very hard crack (300 degrees) when tested in cold water. Remove from fire; add vanilla and raisins. Pour into a greased pan. When cold remove it to an oiled paper. Break chocolate into pieces and place in top of a double boiler. When water begins to steam (100 degrees F.) in the lower part remove from fire and allow chocolate to stand about 10 minutes. Stir until creamy and melted. Spread a thin layer on one side of the candy and sprinkle liberally with chopped nuts. Turn candy over and treat the other side the same way. After the chocolate sets the candy maye be cut or broke into pieces. This improves on standing. A hard crack means that the candy snaps when it touches the cold water.

**Candy Canes.**

One cup sugar.
One cup light syrup.
One tablespoon vinegar.
Peppermint flavoring.
Red coloring.

Combine sugar, light syrup and vinegar and boil until little tried in cold water forms fairly firm ball (252 degrees). Pour into lightly oiled platter and when cool enough to handle, add flavoring and pull. When pulled, form into strips and curve ends for cane handles. Red coloring may be added if desired, just before pulling. Fasten to branches of tree with bright-colored thread or ribbon.

**Marshmallow Fruit Taffy.**

One-half pound marshmallows.
Two tablespoons milk.
One-fourth cup candied cherries, cut fine.
One-fourth cup pitted dates, cut fine.
One-fourth cup nut meats, cut fine.
Confectioners' sugar.

Place marshmallows and milk in saucepan and heat over a low flame, folding over and over until marshmallows are half melted. Remove from flame and continue folding until mixture is smooth and fluffy. Then add the chopped candied cherries, dates and nuts. Blend lightly. Pour in buttered pan and chill in refrigerator. Mark into strips with a knife dipped in hot water. Then remove each strip, one at a time, roll in confectioners' sugar and shape into a rope. Then cut with scissors into pieces, dusting cut ends with more confectioners' sugar. Place in refrigerator until firm. Makes 32 pieces.

**Orange Sugared Walnuts.**

One cup sugar.
One third cup of syrup.
One-fourth cup water.
Three tablespoons orange juice.
One teaspoon grated orange rind.
One-half pound shelled walnut halves.

Cook sugar, water, syrup and orange juice together to 240 degrees, or until little dropped in cold water forms a firm ball. Remove from heat, add orange rind and walnut; stir until syrup begins to look cloudy. Before it hardens, drop by spoonfuls on waxed paper or oiled surface. Fill cornucopias or small "stockings" and hang on the tree.

**Raisin Cocomallow.**

Two and one-half cups seedless raisins.
One cup granulated sugar.
Two-thirds cup white syrup.
One-half cup water.
One tablespoon butter.
One-half cup marshmallow creme.
One teaspoon vanilla.
One-fourth teaspoon salt.
One-half pound shredded coconut.

Rinse raisins, drain and dry thoroughly on a towel. Combine sugar corn syrup and water, and boil until it will form a soft ball (238 degrees) when tested in cold water. Stir constantly. Remove from fire, add butter, marshmallow creme, vanilla, salt, raisins and coconut and mix thoroughly. Pour onto a greased slab or pan.* When set, cut into desired shapes.

A soft ball is one that will hold together and can be formed into a soft mass between the fingers.

**Date Caramels.**

Two cups sugar.
One cup brown sugar.
One cup white syrup.
One cup cream.
Two cups milk.
One-half cup butter.
Two teaspoons vanilla.
One package dates, sliced.

Put all ingredients, except vanilla in large saucepan and cook, stirring constantly, over low heat until candy reaches firm ball stage (246 degrees. Remove from fire, add vanilla and dates, and turn at once into slightly greased pans. When cold remove from pan; cut into squares with hot knife and wrap.

**Raisin Peanut Clusters.**

Two and one-half cups seedless raisins.
One-half pound dipping chocolate.
One-fourth teaspoon salt.
One cup shelled roasted peanuts.

Rinse raisins, drain and dry thoroughly on a towel. Melt chocolate over warm water and cool to lukewarm. Mix salt, nuts and raisins in thoroughly. Drop onto waxed paper to harden or shape in paper cups. Makes about 50 small clusters.

**Haddock a la Rarebit.**

One cup milk.
One-third cup flour.
Two teaspoons mustard.
One-eighth teaspoon salt.
Two cups cheese cut fine.
One tablespoon butter, haddock.

Heat the milk and stir in the flour, mustard, and salt, sifted together. When thickened a little, stir in the cheese, and when the cheese is melted add one tablespoon of butter. Have the haddock split and boned. The frozen fillets are especially nice. Lay flat on a buttered platter, spread the dressing over it, then bake in a hot oven (375 to 400 degrees) for 30 minutes.

**A Sauce.**

Sauce for fish and chops is made by adding a half cup chopped cucumber pickles to drawn butter sauce.

BRAZIL NUTS
• For the Christmas stocking
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## STUFF PRUNES OR DATES WITH THIS DELICIOUS FONDANT

When you're making candies for the holidays, make a quantity of coffee fondant and tuck it inside of plump prunes or dates, or roll it in chopped nuts, cocoanut or chocolate shot.

**Prunes Stuffed With Coffee Fondant.**

One pound prunes.
One pound coffee fondant.

Wash prunes and soak one hour in just enough cold water to cover. Steam until soft enough to pierce easily. Make a clean cut in the side of each prune to remove stone. Fill the cavity with coffee fondant. Roll in granulated sugar and let dry a few hours. Yield: Two pounds.

**Coffee Fondant.**

Two cups granulated sugar.
One-third cup strong coffee.
One-third cup rich milk.
Two tablespoons butter.

Blend sugar, coffee and milk thoroughly. Cook slowly, stirring constantly until sugar is dissolved, being careful not to splash against side of pan. Boil rapidly to the soft ball stage (238 degrees). Cool. Add butter. Beat until creamy. Turn onto a buttered board or marble slab and knead until smooth. Press into a square pan and cut into cubes. Yield: One pound.

## THESE DOUGHNUTS SUPPLY HOLIDAY PANTRY RAIDERS

During the holidays the pantry will be raided constantly for an in-between snack, so the wise homemaker will have a big crock of doughnuts on the lower shelf if she wants to keep the Christmas cookies and fruit cake for special occasions. These doughnuts make a tempting snack, and they're good for breakfast, too!

**Lemon-Cream Doughnuts.**

Six egg yolks.
One cup sugar.
Two tablespoons lemon juice plus evaporated milk to make one cup.
One tablespoon grtaed lemon rind..
Four and one-half cups cake flour or four cups bread flour.
One and one-half teaspoons soda.
One and one-half teaspoons cream of tartar.
One-half teaspoon salt.
One-fourth teaspoon nutmeg.

Beat egg yolks until thick and lemon colored. Gradually add the sugar, beating while adding. Add the evaporated milk and lemon rind. Sift the dry ingredients together and add them to the first mixture. Place in the refrigerator for five hours. Roll out one-fourth inch thick and cut. Fry in deep fat (365 degrees). Yield: Three and one-half dozen doughnuts, two and one-half inches in diameter.

## QUICK CASSEROLE MAKES TASTY SUPPER DISH

Casserole dishes have a friendly tone about them; besides, on a cold night one is extra willing to have the oven going for its friendly warmth.

Making casserole dishes with canned foods is an excellent idea because it lessens the work, and there are so many kinds to choose from that variety is readily obtained. To make this particular casserole dish you want to have on hand the following canned foods; Whole kernel corn, mushrooms, and Vienna sausages. In addition, some narrow noodles and materials to make white sauce are essential. Whole kernel corn can be bought in either the white or yellow kernal variety and each works beautifully in this particular dish.

**Vegetable Casserole.**

Drain the liquid from the corn, mushrooms and sausages and use it in making the white sauce, that is, substitute it for part of the milk.

Boil as many noodles as you think you want and arrange them in the bottom of a casserole. Put the corn and mushrooms over the noodles. Cut the sausages into pieces about half an inch and spread them over the other foods. Pour the well seasoned white sauce over all the mix and ever so lightly to allow the sauce to blend with the other ingredients, but do not stir enough to give a "too mixed" look. Bake in a moderate oven long enough to heat through thoroughly.

This is an ideal dish to have ready for the family after you have all been to a football game. By the time it is heated through, the rest of the supper can be prepared. Still a different flavor can be given to this casserole dish if you use canned succotash instead of the whole kernel corn.

## MAPLE NUT BRITTLE

One and one-third cups maple sugar, crushed coarsely.
One and one-half cups syrup.
Three-fourths cup water.
Two and one-half tablespoons butter.
One-eighth teaspoon salt.
One and three-fourths cups nuts, broken coarsely.

Combine the sugar, syrup and water in a saucepan and heat until dissolved. Add the butter and cook until the syrup, when dropped into cold water, becomes brittle (290 degrees). Stir in the nuts and turn into a shallow greased pan in a thin sheet. Avoid scraping the bottom of the pan. When the candy is stiff, break it into pieces.

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**ALT, JOHN**—Entered into rest eternal, Dec. 21, 1937, husband of the late Georgiana Alt, father of Emma Williams, Anna Brand, Lydia Reutner, Cora Walter, Katherine and Josephine Alt.

Funeral Thurs., Dec. 23, 2 p. m., from the Alexander Chapel, 6175 Delmar. Deceased was a member of Harry P. Harding Post No. 107, G. A. R.

**BEATTY, MARY E. (nee Foley)**—Entered into rest Tues., Dec. 21, 1937, relict of Edward Beatty, dear mother of Edward, Johanna, Mrs. Andrew Gray and Mrs. Edward Hasekamp, our dear mother-in-law, grandmother, great-grandmother and aunt.

Funeral Fri., Dec. 24, 8:30 a. m., from W. A. Stock Funeral Home, Grand and Florissant, to Holy Name Church. Interment Calvary Cemetery. Deceased was a member of St. Ann's Sodality and Third Order.

**CARROLL, MARGARET (nee Brody)**—3932 Shaw bl., Mon., Dec. 20, 1937, wife of the late Edmond P. Carroll and dear mother of Mrs. James V. Fitzgibbon and Edward A. Carroll, dear grandmother of James Fitzgibbon, our dear mother-in-law.

Funeral from Peetz Funeral Home, Lafayette and Longfellow bls., Thurs., Dec. 23, 8:30 a. m., to St. Margaret's Church. A member of St. Ann's Married Ladies' Sodality of St. Margaret's Church.

**CONLON, MARY C. (nee Signaigo)**—Tues., Dec. 21, 1937, 6 p. m., dear wife of the late Hugh E. Conlon, dear aunt of Frank, John, Jack, Robert and Estelle Signaigo, Mrs. William Kennedy and Mrs. J. J. Barry.

Funeral from Stuart & Sons' Chapel, 1225 Union bl., Thurs., Dec. 23, 8:30 a. m., to St. Mark's Church. Interment Calvary Cemetery.

**CONNELL, JOHN J.**—Of 4515 Lindell bl., Wed., Dec. 22, 1937, 6:30 a. m., beloved husband of Mary F. Connell (nee Cleary), dear father of J. Roland Connell, dear brother of Mary, Agnes and Genevieve Connell.

Funeral from Arthur J. Donnelly's Parlors, 3840 Lindell bl., Fri., Dec. 24, 9:30 a. m., to St. Louis Cathedral. Interment Calvary Cemetery.

**DEICHELMANN, ELIZABETH (nee Michel)**—3823A Nebraska, Tues., Dec. 21, 1937, 11:30 p. m., wife of the late Frederick Deichelmann, our dear mother, sister, mother-in-law, grandmother, great-grandmother, sister-in-law and aunt, in her 91st year.

Funeral from Wacker-Helderle Chapel, 3634 Gravois av., Fri., Dec. 24, 3 p. m. Interment New St. Marcus Cemetery.

**DOUBRAVA, AGNES (nee Karasek)** — 3736 Louisiana and formerly of 3716 Nebraska, Mon., Dec. 20, 1937, 8:45 a. m., dearly beloved wife of Frank L. Doubrava, dear mother of Frank T., Joseph and Henry M. Doubrava, Mrs. John Allman and Mrs. W. S. Perry of Little Rock, Ark. (nee Doubrava), dear mother-in-law, sister, sister-in-law, grandmother and aunt, in her 81st year.

Funeral from Schumacher Funeral Home, 3013 Meramec, Thurs., Dec. 23, 2:30 p. m. Interment Sunset Burial Park.

**DRAKE, EDWARD J.**—Tues., Dec. 21, 1937, dear brother of the late Dr. Francis O. Drake and the late Margaret Drake De Groot.

Funeral Thurs., Dec. 23, 3 p. m., from Drehmann-Harral Chapel, 1905 Union bl.

**EDELMAN, HARRY**—Wed., Dec. 22, 1937, beloved husband of Mollie Edelman, dear father of Mrs. Betty Cartun, Nathan Edelman, Mrs. Pearl Boxerman and Mrs. Edythe Blumenthal, our dear grandfather and father-in-law.

Funeral from the Rindskopf Chapel, 5212 Delmar, Thurs., Dec. 23, 2 p. m.

**FIEDLER, HENRY W.**—Entered into rest at his residence, Calhoun County near Batchtown, Ill. Survived by his wife, five sons and five daughters. Masonic funeral from his residence Thurs., Dec. 23, 1937, 1 p. m., to Batchtown Cemetery.

Deceased was a member of Calhoun Lodge No. 792, A. F. and A. M., and Mississippi Valley Consistory of East St. Louis. Linder service.

**FRASURE, RENA BELLE**—10569 Hobday av., Wed., Dec. 22, 1937, beloved wife of Charles Frasure, dear mother of Lillie Gardner, George Frasure, Alice Scheck and Chester Frasure, our dear mother-in-law, grandmother and great-grandmother.

Funeral Fri., Dec. 24, 3 p. m., from Baumann Bros.' Funeral Home, 2504 Woodson rd., Overland. Interment Fee Fee Cemetery.

**FUHRMANN, DR. RICHARD H.**—4247 S. Grand bl., Mon., Dec. 20, 1937, dear husband of the late Martha Fuhrmann (nee Miller), dearly beloved father of Richard, Mary Elaine and Martha Fuhrmann, our dear brother, brother-in-law and uncle.

Funeral from the Kreigshauser Mortuary, 4228 S. Kingshighway bl., Thurs., Dec. 23, 2 p. m., to Valhalla Chapel of Memories. A member of Westgate Lodge No. 445, Scottish Rite, Moolah Temple and St. Louis Medical Society. Funeral private. Please omit flowers.

**GOEBEL, ELLA (MAUD)**—Wed., Dec. 22, 1937, beloved wife of Charles Goebel, dear mother of Lester E. Goebel, daughter of Mrs. Ella Wade, and dear sister of George Wade, Mrs. Julian Homan, John Wade and Charles Wade, dear aunt and sister-in-law.

Funeral Fri., Dec. 24, 2 p. m., from the Kron Chapel, 2707 N. Grand bl. Interment Hiram Cemetery.

**GROSSENHEIDER, JULIUS**—Formerly of 3211A Eads av., entered into rest Tues., Dec. 21, 1937, beloved husband of Bertha Grossenheider (nee Schmidt), dear father of Mrs. Adele Hoffman, Walter Grossenheider, Mrs. Elsie Manion, dear uncle, father-in-law and grandfather.

Funeral from Schnur Funeral Home, 3125 Lafayette av., Thurs., Dec. 23, 2 p. m., to Missouri Crematory.

**HANSEN, ELIZABETH**—3718A Shreve av., entered into rest Wed., Dec. 22, 1937, dearly beloved wife of the late Christ Hansen, dear mother of Miss Anna, Albert, Christ, Jacob, John and the late William Hansen, our dear sister, mother-in-law, grandmother, sister-in-law and aunt.

Remains will lie in state at Wm. F. Paschedag Chapel, 2825 N. Grand bl., until Fri., Dec. 24, 10 a. m. Funeral same day, 2 p. m., from Salem Evangelical Church, Shreve and Margaretta av. Interment St. Peter's Cemetery. Deceased was a member of Salem Ladies' Aid.

**HIRSCHMANN, ELIZABETH**—2118A S. 11th st., Tues., Dec. 21, 1937, 2 a. m., dear sister of Mary Hirschmann and our dear friend.

Funeral Thurs., Dec. 23, 8:30 a. m., from Moydell Parlors, Mississippi and Allen avs., to SS. Peter and Paul's Church. Interment Old SS. Peter and Paul's Cemetery.

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ALT, JOHN
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**HOFFMANN, ANNA (nee Schneider)**—4431 Pennsylvania, Tues., Dec. 21, 1937, 11:20 p. m., beloved widow of the late William Hoffmann, dear mother of Lillian Heinrichsmeyer, Anna Brown, William G. and Edwin Hoffmann, our dear sister, mother-in-law, grandmother and aunt, age 78 years.

Funeral from Schumacher Funeral Home, 3013 Meramec, Fri., Dec. 24, 1:30 p. m., to Sunset Burial Park. A member of Trinity Ladies' Aid Society.

**HOELSCHER, MINNIE (nee Lindenmann)**—4237 Prairie, asleep in Jesus, Tues., Dec. 21, 1937, beloved wife of Herman Hoelscher, dear mother of August, Mrs. Anna Tittel, Herman Jr., Mrs. Lena Goldschmidt and Oscar Hoelscher, our dear mother-in-law and grandmother.

Funeral Fri., Dec. 24, 2 p. m., from W. A. Stock Funeral Home, Grand and Florissant. Interment New Bethlehem Cemetery.

**HOLMAN, ANNA (nee Ransburgh)**—6425 Virginia av., Tues., Dec. 21, 1937, 3:55 p. m., beloved wife of William M. Holman, dear mother of William G. and Florence R. Holman.

Funeral from the Schumacher Funeral Home, 3013 Meramec st., Fri., Dec. 24, 2:30 p. m., to Lakewood Park Cemetery. Member of Venus Chapter, No. 153, O. E. S.

**HOPPE, HELEN E. (nee Luttmer)**—1218 Woodland dr., Richmond Heights, entered into rest Mon., Dec. 20, 1937, 6 p. m., beloved wife of Louis C. Hoppe, dear mother of Marian, Mildred, Louis Jr., Kenneth and William, dear daughter of August and Louise Luttmer, our dear sister and sister-in-law.

Funeral Thurs., Dec. 23, 10 a. m., from the Provost Chapel, 3710 N. Grand bl., to Valhalla Crematory.

**HUSEMAN, ARTHUR**—4157 Rosalie, Tues., Dec. 21, 1937, dear son of the late Henry and Anna Huseman (nee Nobbe), dear brother of Emil, Cora, Mrs. William Mueller, dear brother-in-law and uncle.

Funeral Fri., 1:30 p. m., Beiderwieden Funeral Home, 1936 St. Louis, to Black Jack Cemetery.

**JAROSIK, FRANK**—Tues., Dec. 21, 1937, our dear brother and uncle.

Remains at Moydell Parlors, Mississippi and Allen, after 9 a. m. Fri., Dec. 24. Funeral same day, 2:30 p. m., to Missouri Crematory. Member of Lodge Rohac-z-dube, No. 33, C. S. A.

**KELLERMANN, CLEMENS AUGUST**—Of Mitchell, Ill., Dec. 22, 1937, beloved husband of Anna Kellermann (nee Relleke), dear father of Margaret Viere, Sophia Foehrkalb, Frieda Vieth, Theresa Higginbotham, Anna Perry, Marie Perry, Gertrude Boyle, Dorothy Spack, Theodore, Clemens, dear brother of Henry Kellermann and grandfather and great-grandfather.

Funeral Fri., Dec. 24, 8:30 a. m., from residence to St. Elizabeth's Church, Mitchell, Ill. Burial Calvary Cemetery, Edwardsville, Ill.

**KOEHRER, HENRY W.**—4018 Nebraska, Mon., Dec. 20, 1937, 11 a. m., beloved husband of Ida Koehrer (nee Heckstetter), dear father of Antoinette Kleinpeter, Henry L. and Edward L. Koehrer, our dear brother, brother-in-law, father-in-law, grandfather and uncle, in his 72d year.

Funeral from Schumacher Funeral Home, 3013 Meramec, Thurs., Dec. 23, 1:30 p. m. to Memorial Park Cemetery.

**McLAUGHLIN, GEORGE F.**—1433A Clara av., entered into rest Tues., Dec. 21, 1937, 8 a. m., dear husband of Adele McLaughlin (nee Shaw), dear father of Nina, George and Harvey McLaughlin, our dear son, brother, brother-in-law and uncle, in his 52d year.

Funeral Thurs., Dec. 23, 2 p. m., from Drehmann-Harral Chapel, 1905 Union bl. to Valhalla Chapel of Memories. Please omit flowers.

**McREYNOLDS, EDWARD H.**—Tues., Dec. 21, 1937, beloved husband of Augusta C. McReynolds, dear brother of Mrs. Helen Klumpp of Rich Hill, Mo.; Miss Josephine McReynolds of Warrensburg, Mo., and G. E. McReynolds of St. Joseph, Mo., dear uncle and nephew.

Funeral Thurs., Dec. 23, 9:30 a. m., from Alexander Chapel, 6175 Delmar. Incineration Valhalla Crematory. A member of Tuscan Lodge No. 360, A. F. and A. M.

**MALONE, JOHN**—6747 Garner av., Dec. 20, 1937, beloved husband of Clara Malone (nee Horn), dear father of Daniel Malone and Mrs. Marie McHugh, our dear brother, brother-in-law, father-in-law, grandfather and uncle.

Funeral from Krieghauser Mortuary, 4228 S. Kingshighway bl., Thurs., Dec. 23, 8:30 a. m., to St. Aloysius Church. Interment Old SS. Peter and Paul's Cemetery.

**MASERANG, ROSE K.**—5922A Theodosia av., entered into rest Tues., Dec. 21, 1937, dear sister of George Maserang, and our dear aunt.

Funeral Thurs., Dec. 23, 9 a. m., from William F. Paschedag Chapel, 2825 N. Grand bl., to St. Barbara's Church. Interment Calvary Cemetery.

**MIDCAP, DANIEL (DICK)**—4121W Penrose st., entered into rest Wed., Dec. 21, 1937, 9:30 p. m., beloved husband of Louisa Midcap (nee Lautner), dear father of Mrs. Eunice Haagen, dear grandfather of June and Edward, our dear brother, brother-in-law, uncle, and father-in-law, in his 69th year.

Funeral Fri., Dec. 24, 2 p. m., from the Provost Chapel, 3710 N. Grand bl., to St. John's Cemetery. Deceased was a member of the Maccabees, Victory Tent No. 116, and Carpenters' Union, Local No. 73.

**O'CONNELL, JOHN**—Of 2816 Burd av., Tues., Dec. 20, 1937, at 5 p. m., beloved husband of Mary O'Connell (nee Sumner) dear father of Frances, James and George O'Connell, Mrs. Walter Couch, brother of Mrs. William Tieman, and our dear uncle, father-in-law and grandfather.

Funeral from the Sullivan Funeral Home, Euclid av., at St. Louis av. on Thurs., Dec. 23, at 8:30 a. m., to St. Edward's Church. Interment Calvary Cemetery.

**PARENTIN, ALFRED**—Age 49 years, 2409 Salena st., Mon., Dec. 20, 1937, dear son of Ida Parentin, dear brother of Mrs. Wm. E. Heilig, George and William Parentin, dear brother-in-law and uncle.

Funeral Thurs., Dec. 23, 1:30 p. m., from Moydell Parlors, Mississippi and Allen avs. Interment National Cemetery.

**PROEMSEY, EDWIN C.**—5341 Bancroft av., suddenly Tues., Dec. 21, 1937, beloved husband of Catherine Proemsey (nee McManus), dear father of Dolores Proemsey, dear son of William and Elise Proemsey, dear brother of William, Henry, Elmer, John, Lenora and Myrtle Proemsey, Mrs. Elnora Conrad, our dear brother-in-law and uncle.

Remains at the Jay B. Smith Funeral Home, 7456 Manchester av., until 12 o'clock noon, Fri., Dec. 24, thence to Maplewood Methodist Church, Sutton and Flora avs. Services 2 p. m. Interment Mount Lebanon Cemetery.

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Notice of funeral later from Fendler Undertaking Co. City Parlors, 7420 Michigan av.

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**SCHLENBECKER, LOUIS SR.**—1027 Oakland av., Webster Groves, Mo., Tues., Dec. 21, 1937, 10 a. m., beloved father of Mrs. Alex Z. Bleakney and Mrs. Jacob J. Schilling, our dear father-in-law and grandfather, in his 93d year.

Funeral Thurs., Dec. 23, 2 p. m., from the Geo. L. Pleitsch Chapel, 5966 Easton av., to Bellefontaine Cemetery.

**SCHMITS, CATHERINE (nee Mueller)**—2665 Iowa av., Mon., Dec. 20, 1937, 2:15 a. m., beloved wife of the late Hy E. Schmits, dear mother of Adele Hurst, Gertrude Hurst and Frances Musskopf, our dear mother-in-law, grandmother, sister and aunt, age 68 years.

Funeral from Gebken Chapel, Gravois and Texas avs., Thurs., Dec. 23, 8:30 a. m., to St. Francis de Sales' Church. Interment in SS. Peter and Paul's Cemetery. Deceased was a member of St. Francis de Sales Christian Mothers' Society and Legion of Mary.

**SCHOLLE, HERMAN H.**—Formerly 5481 Arlington av., Dec. 21, 1937, husband of the late Amelia Scholle, father of Edith Scholle, Mrs. Aimee Lonsdale and Mrs. Edna R. Reynolds.

Service at the Robert J. Ambruster Mortuary, Clayton rd. at Concordia Lane, Fri., 2 p. m. Interment Valhalla Cemetery.

**SECKEL, ANDREW**—Age 87 years, formerly of 3616 Natural Bridge av., entered into rest Wed., Dec. 22, 1937, relict of the late Theresa Seckel, uncle of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kuhn, our dear brother and brother-in-law.

Funeral Fri., Dec. 24, 1:30 p. m., from Wm. F. Paschedag Chapel, 2825 N. Grand bl., to Calvary Cemetery.

**SLEPCEVICH, MARY**—1907A McNair, Tues., Dec. 21, 1937, beloved wife of Emil Slepcevich, dear mother of Sally, Helen and Mildred.

Funeral Fri., Dec. 24, 1:15 p. m., from Moydell Parlors, Mississippi and Allen, to Serbian Church, McNair and Geyer avs. Interment Mount Hope Cemetery.

**STEWART, MARY LINCOLN**—Mon., Dec. 20, 1937, mother of Bessie Mae Stewart.

Services at Valhalla Crematory Thurs., 11 a. m.

**STIS, JOHN**—Aged 62 years, Wed., Dec. 22, 1937, dear father of Mrs. Jack Hynes, dear brother of Charles and Frank Stis, Mrs. Anna Creely, Mrs. Rose Fueser and Otillie Stis, dear brother-in-law, father-in-law, grandfather and uncle.

Funeral remains at Witt Bros.' Chapel, 2929 S. Jefferson. Funeral Fri., Dec. 24, 2 p. m. Interment New Picker Cemetery. Member of Lodge Missouri No. 1 C. S. A.

**TIMMERMANN, JOAN CATHERINE**—255 Lemay, Mon., Dec. 20, 1937, darling daughter of Walter and Marie Timmermann (nee Buehler), dear granddaughter, niece and cousin, in her 5th year.

Funeral from Hoffmeister Chapel, 7814 S. Broadway, Thurs., Dec. 23, 10 a. m., to St. Boniface Church. Interment New St. Marcus Cemetery.

**WENDT, MARY (nee Nicter)**—7108 Dartmouth av., Tues., Dec. 21, 1937, beloved wife of Frederick A., dear mother of Wilbert, dear daughter of Margaret Nicter, dear sister of George and Rosella Nicter.

Funeral Fri., Dec. 24, 8:30 a. m., from Stroot & Carroll Funeral Home, 4600 Natural Bridge av., to Christ the King Church, 7324 Balson av. Interment Calvary Cemetery.

**WILLIAMS, LORRAINE JUNE**—4124 Fillmore st., Mon., Dec. 20, 1937, beloved daughter of William and Martha Gruner Williams, dear sister of Dorothy Mae Williams, our dear cousin and niece.

Funeral from Southern Funeral Home, 6322 S. Grand bl., Thurs., Dec. 23, 2 p. m., to Oak Grove Cemetery.

**WUNDERLICH, WILLIAM**—Entered into rest Mon., Dec. 20, 1937, 1 a. m., dear husband of Mary Wunderlich (nee Tomnitz), dear father of Ferdinand, Margaret and Elizabeth Scheuring, in his 72d year.

Funeral from Koch Parlors, Fenton, Mo., Thurs., Dec. 23, 8:45 a. m., to St. Paul's Church, Fenton, Mo. Interment St. Bridget Cemetery, Pacific, Mo.

**ZLATICH, MILKA**—Age 47 years, 4723 Heidelberg, Tues., Dec. 21, 1937, beloved wife of Ludwig Zlatich, dear mother of Estella, Nickolas, John and Anna Zlatich, dear sister, sister-in-law, mother-in-law and aunt.

Funeral Fri., Dec. 24, 8:15 a. m., from Moydell Parlors, Mississippi and Allen, to St. George's Church. Interment SS. Peter and Paul's Cemetery.

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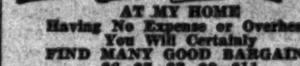

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POINTER—Lost; small, female, liver color and tick; name Pinky; reward. FLanders 6087.

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### Jewelry Lost

AMETHYST RING—Lost; in washroom at 5711 Delmar; reward. RO. 2772.

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MEN—2, with retail grocery or simi selling experience; permanent. Apply Frisco Bldg., 2 to 4 p. m.

GOOD opening, young man over 21, to ta orders; experience unnecessary; nea good pay. Apply Room 1024, 408 Pi

ASSISTANT BOOKKEEPER—Typist; 25; $85. LOEHR, 745 Frisco.

### SALESMEN WANTED

SALESMAN—Experienced traveling machinery salesmen to sell cotton ments to dealers throughout the So ern states; must have car; be able finance self as this is straight c mission proposition, with drawing count. Age 25 to 50 years. Send erences to P. O. Box 5055, Dallas,

## SALESMEN WANTED

SHOE SALESMEN—Must be experienced ladies' shoes. Shoe Land, 6319 Delmar.

SALESMEN — Experienced books; real money selling new edition of Book of Knowledge; 3 territories open. Call Mr. Smith at Grolier Society.

MEN—Three, neat appearing, aged about 19, high school graduates, English, Irish or Scotch-American type preferred, free to travel throughout Kansas, Oklahoma, Texas and West to California; transportation paid. Drawing account. Mr. Moore, Room 825, Roosevelt Hotel, 6 to 8 p. m. No phone calls.

MEN—3; neat appearance, to do organizing; reference required; liberal pay. Apply Room 5, 3010 S. Grand.

## HELP WTD.—MEN, WOMEN

AGENTS—Lord's Prayer on a penny; sells on sight, $3.50 per 100; samples, 10c. Perkins, care of Davison, 224 N. 7th st.

## HELP WTD.—WOMEN, GIRLS

*NOTE—Those answering advertisements are cautioned not to enclose original references. Copies serve the purpose and avoid possible loss of valuable originals.*

NATIONAL BOOKKEEPING MACHINE OPERATOR—Age 23-27; $85-$95. REFERENCE ASSN., Room 309, 705 Olive.

CITY DESK WOMAN—Experienced in retail office supplies. Box D-385, P.-D.

COOK—Must also be excellent housekeeper, for part upstairs work only; high wages to energetic party; high-class, West End; references required. Box D-11, Post-Dispatch.

COUPLE—Experienced cook, chauffeur, butler. Maryland Agency, PA. 7444.

GIRL—To take care of dining room and help in general; must have references and stay on place. For appointment, call ATwater 817.

GIRL—White, 30-35; general housework, cooking; stay; experience; reference; $25. GR. 7982. 4041 Flora pl.

GIRL—Colored; neat; bedroom, dining room; boarding house; stay. 5138 Washington.

GIRL—White; general housework; experienced; references; 3 adults; no laundry. Parkview 2414.

GIRL—White; general housework, cooking, assist with baby; experience; reference. CA. 7687.

GIRL—White; general housework; references; stay. LA. 4785. 2167 S. Spring.

GIRL — White; experienced maid, cook; $35-$40. Maryland Agency, PA. 7444.

GIRL—White; stay; general housework; $12. WEbster 2896.

HOUSEKEEPER—To take care of elderly man. 7519 Virginia.

SILK FINISHER—Experienced at once. Mellack, 127 S. Kirkwood rd.

WAITRESS—Union, 25-30. Apply 4647 Easton, 6 p. m. Wednesday.

WAITRESS—Experienced, 18 to 25 years old. Call CA. 4350.

WOMAN—Elderly; for housework and care of baby. 3009A N. Vandeventer.

YOUNG GIRL—For light housework. 5803A Highland.

## BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

WE want a man who is willing to adapt himself to our business, which is the world's best today. We also want him to invest with us to the extent of $3500 to $5000. Such a man can earn a comfortable living. Please do not answer unless you mean business. Box D-311, Post-Dispatch.

WE will establish you in business, give you financial aid and guarantee you earnings of $50 monthly; $125 cash needed; no selling, can be worked part time; outside territory available. M. Brodie Co., 6770 Olive bl.

WANTED by established manufacturing concern: A district sales manager willing to take a $5000 interest in the business. Write Box E-197, Post-Dispatch.

STEADY income, depression-proof business, collecting new Hershey machines; we locate; $290 required. 2001 Obear av.

### BUSINESS WANTED

CASH for store, stock or fixtures, any amount. Lasky, 6609 Clemens. PA. 0432.

### BUSINESS FOR SALE

BEAUTY SHOP—Cheap; account sickness; terms. RO. 9496.

BEAUTY SHOP—Choice Wellston location; reasonable; cheap rent. GR. 9794.

BEAUTY SHOP—Sell cheap; leaving city. 4421 Manchester.

CLEANING SHOP—Established; good business and location. FRanklin 1091.

CONFECTIONERY — Grocery; good business; corner rooms; bargain. 2732 Salena.

CONFECTIONERY—Corner; good location; good neighborhood. 5900 Morganford.

CONFECTIONERY — Delicatessen; good business; leaving city. 4100 Juniata.

DELICATESSEN—And building $2500 down, will handle balance. Phone EAst 9531.

FILLING STATION—And bulk plant combination on 3 Federal highways; St. Louis County; $5000; includes real estate. Phone Dixon 573.

USED FURNITURE—And radios at 4904 Easton; living quarters; rent $15; $200

GARAGE—Filling station; excellent neighborhood; good gallonage. FL. 9689.

GROCERY, market and tavern; rent $50, including 7 living rooms; sales $300 weekly. Box L-212, Post-Dispatch.

GROCERY—Market; electric refrigeration; rent $50. Box D-312, Post-Dispatch.

PAPER ROUTE—County a. m., p. m.; 1300 daily, 900 Sunday; cash; no triflers. Box D-197, Post-Dispatch.

RESTAURANT—Half interest, or sell all; doing $35 to $65 per day, no reasonable offer refused. Apply 4038 Olive.

ROOMING HOUSE—11 rooms; good location; sacrifice $400; leaving city. 1319 Delaware. EV. 7511.

ROOMING HOUSE—10 rooms, rent $30; price $350. Inquire 4245 Westminster. NE. 1675.

ROOMING HOUSE—8 rooms, good location; sacrifice $250; sickness. 4164 Delmar.

TAVERN—Good location; low overhead; money maker; reason for selling, domestic trouble. H. & S. Tavern, 1127 N. 7th. GA. 7572.

## ROOMS and BOARD

*ADVERTISEMENTS in this classification will be listed alphabetically by street, after which advertisements with other index words will follow.*

### ROOMS WITH BOARD—CITY

Northwest

AUBERT, 5028—Large sleeping room; private home; garage; plenty heat.

South

WYOMING, 4265—Private; twin beds; good meals; large closet; reasonable.

Southwest

BRADLEY, 6956—Newly decorated; best of food; reasonable; gentlemen.

West

CLARENDON, 917—Refined private home; employed couple or 2 girls. FO. 5467.

LINDELL, 4642 — Large double, single; wholesome meals; homelike; reasonable.

McPHERSON, 4516 — Large, nicely furnished, excellent meals; private home.

MAPLE, 5043A—Front room; radio; board optional; 1-2; car, bus.

VERNON, 5064—Lovely, modern room; 2 men or couple; meals; private home.

WASHINGTON, 5115 — Two exceptional single rooms; choice meals, pleasant home

WASHINGTON, 5280—Front; twin beds; bath; excellent meals; $5-$6; garage.

WASHINGTON, 5077—Comfortable, cozy front; twin beds; also single; best meals.

THE PINE CLUB, 4915 West Pine—Under new management; beautiful home; excellent meals. ROsedale 4526.

### ROOMS FOR RENT—CITY

North

NORTH MARKET, 1215 — Housekeeping and sleeping; running water in rooms.

Northwest

[illegible]LAND, 4828—2 nice connecting, complete housekeeping; sink, steam; $3.50.

### ROOMS FOR RENT—South

ARSENAL, 3017—Connecting furnished rooms; light housekeeping; modern; warm

BOTANICAL, 3631—Large front, meals optional, 1 or 2, reasonable. LA. 3101.

COMPTON, 2359 S.—Lovely furnished living room; in-a-dor bed, kitchen.

DILLON, 1101—Connecting rooms, sink, $4; single, $2.50, $3.50.

GRAND, 2812 S.—Apt. A; attractive single or double; good heat. GR. 7187.

HALLIDAY, 3503—Warm sleeping or housekeeping rooms. LA. 4937.

HARTFORD, 3834—Large south room; hot-water heat; close to transportation.

HENRIETTA, 3526—2 sleeping rooms; neat, warm; private home; phone.

LAFAYETTE, 2849 — Clean, warm; washer, radio; housekeeping, $3.50; with kitchenette, $4; sleeping, $2.50.

OLEATHA, 4336—3 furnished rooms; light, heat, gas; separate entrance.

PARK, 1634—Front housekeeping; gas, electric, bath; $1.90.

PESTALOZZI, 3450—Sleeping; private family; board optional. PR. 5223.

RUSSELL, 3858—Lovely housekeeping; 4 windows; also sleeping. GR. 3925.

RUSSELL, 3656—Large sleeping room; twin beds; gentlemen. LA. 8035.

SHENANDOAH, 4067 — Housekeeping rooms, private bath. PR. 3846.

VIRGINIA, 4263 — Beautiful, large, furnished; one or two; 2 cars. RI. 2704.

WYOMING, 3408A—Rooms, board optional. LA. 4915.

ROOM—Gentleman; no other guests; Shaw's Garden district. LAclede 9979.

West

BELT, 730—Near Delmar; attractive room, adjoining bath. FO. 6769.

CABANNE, 5047—2 connecting; refrigeration, hot-water heat; adults; references.

CABANNE, 5095—One room efficiency; convenient; electric icebox.

CABANNE, 5333—1 single and 1 double room; with or without board. FO. 6652.

CATES, 5156—Front sleeping room; single or double; reasonable.

CATES, 5059—Front housekeeping room; sink; range; cabinet; reasonable.

CLAYTON RD., 7030 — Sleeping room; every convenience; private. HI. 1121.

CLEMENS, 5672—Pleasant room in private home. PA. 2763.

ENRIGHT, 5898A—Newly decorated outside rooms; 1-2; conveniences. PA. 3767J.

ENRIGHT, 5827—Bargain, 2 well furnished housekeeping; conveniences; $6.

EUCLID, 725 N.—Front housekeeping and sleeping room; reasonable.

FOREST PARK, 4381—2 lovely rooms, second front; warm; others.

KENSINGTON, 5069—Large, well-furnished front and kitchenette. FOrest 8175.

LACLEDE, 3801—New, cozy, single sleeping room, $2 week. CAbany 7897.

PLYMOUTH, 5960—2 lovely rooms for housekeeping.

VERNON, 5549—2 housekeeping rooms; sink; reasonable. PA. 7348W.

VERNON, 5469 — Lovely front 2-room suite; refrigeration; adults. RO. 4514.

WASHINGTON, 5088—2 lovely rooms, oil heat, garage; gentlemen. CA. 7605R.

WATERMAN, 55xx—Refined Jewish; private; garage; shower; home atmosphere. FO. 3943.

WEST PINE, 4347—Housekeeping suite, connecting or single; refrigeration; convenient.

WEST PINE, 3744—Lovely front room, kitchenette, others, $3 up; good heat.

ROOM — Desirable, warm; private bath; gentleman; 57xx Clemens. CA. 0226.

DELIGHTFUL home near Forest Park. Christian Scientist preferred. RO. 3176.

### SUBURBAN ROOM AND BOARD

ROOMS—Sleeping, 1 or 2 gentlemen, meals optional. WE. 2604.

### ROOMMATES WANTED AND APARTMENTS SHARED

SHARE modern home, couple or adults. Call 9 to 11. WAbash 1464.

### ROOMS WITH BOARD—Colored

COOK, 4102—Furnished room, with board. NE. 0297.

## HOTELS

**HERMITAGE HOTEL**

4458 Washington; all rooms with bath and telephone; nicely furnished; conveniently located; rents reasonable by day, week or month.

LINDELL PLAZA, 4300 LINDELL Attractive rates; New Year's reservations.

ALCAZAR HOTEL, 3127 Locust—Special winter rates; 75c day, $3 week; garage.

## APARTMENTS

South

**SAUM**
**Apartment Hotel**
**1919 S. Grand Blvd.**
1 TO 5 ROOMS
Analyze the outstanding value—the many distinctive and attractive refinements of good living here—and you, too, will make the SAUM your home.
Furnished or Unfurnished.
REASONABLE PRICE
Seeing Is Believing. Investigate Today
Cafe and Garage Service

HYDRAULIC, 4040—3885 Meramec—Bedroom apts., in-a-dor bed, includes heat, refrigeration; $32.50. CE. 1395.

LAWRENCE, 3309A—4 rooms, bath, stove, refrigerator — $35.00 GROEBL-SENNIGER.

PARK, 3838—5-room efficiency, heat, gas and electric furnished; janitor service. EDW. L. KUHS JEfferson 3500 2831 N. GRAND

RUSSELL, 3304—5 rooms, gas, electric, refrigeration; see janitor.

West

GARDEN COURT APT., 5330 DELMAR. Four rooms first floor front. PA. 0141. FOrest 8058.

LINDELL, 4319—7 rooms, vitrolite bath, stove, refrigeration — — $60

PERSHING, 5529—5 rooms; strictly modern; heat; refrigeration; shower; reasonable.

PERSHING, 5637—4 rooms, sunroom; Murphy bed. RO. 1950.

RAYMOND, 5123—5 rooms, new built-in cabinets; furnished kitchen; heat; garage

**7705 SHIRLEY DRIVE**
4 rooms; every modern convenience; automatic heat; refrigeration; gas stove, janitor service; garage; transportation; opts. PA. 7763.

**FOREST PARK**
**APT. HOTEL**
Offers appealing hotel rooms, efficiency, sunroom and bedroom apartments.
Discover St. Louis' most congenial rendezvous to dine . . . amid an atmosphere of the Old South with food at its best.
**4910 West Pine**

4949 WEST PINE
Six rooms, 2 baths, sunroom; refrigeration, steam heat, garage, etc. Inspection by appointment.
CLAUDE E. VROOMAN
706 Arcade Bldg. MAin 0596

### APARTMENTS FOR RENT FURNISHED OR UNFURNISHED

West

510A LAKE AVE.
Six rooms, two baths, steam heat, refrigeration. Exquisitely furnished. Inspection by appointment. MAin 0596. CLAUDE E. VROOMAN, 706 Arcade Bldg.

### APARTMENTS FOR RENT —FURNISHED

Northwest

COTE BRILLIANTE, 4649—Attractive 3 and 4-room efficiencies each; suitable for 3 or 4 adults.

### APARTMENTS FOR RENT —FURNISHED

Northwest

COTE BRILLIANTE, 5662—Two rooms; adults; private; $5. MU. 1036.

South

BATES, 1116—At Grand; 3 room efficiency; modern. RIverside 5569J.

MAGNOLIA, 4101—Nicely furnished 4-room efficiency, across from park.

FORTIS, 3153—3-4 nicely furnished rooms, bath; private; adults. Tower Grove Park

SHAW, 3876—3 rooms, complete; refrigeration, janitor; adults; no rent raised.

Southwest

HAMPTON CIRCLE
4929 Chippewa; 4 rooms, attractively furnished; conveniently located; manager.

West

BUCKINGHAM CT., 4924—410 N. Euclid, furnished efficiencies; refrigeration.

ENRIGHT, 5249A—Desirable 3 rooms in apartment; Frigidaire; adults.

MAPLE, 6010—4-room efficiency; heat, light, gas; adults. CA. 2407.

RAYMOND, 5101—Exclusive, new living room, dinette, kitchen, refrigeration.

WEST PINE, 4136—3 rooms, bath; Frigidaire; completely furnished.

**LOVELY 2 to 4 ROOMS**
New, smart and colorful; everything furnished, including daily maid, linens, silver, glassware, china, kitchen utensils; 24-hour telephone and elevator service; gas, light, refrigeration. 4907 West Pine.

## FLATS

North

$18 3717 COTTAGE, 4 rms., bath, furnace, garage; A1 shape. EV. 3511.

$16 3729 COTTAGE, 3 rooms, bath, toilet; newly decorated. EV. 3511.

GARRISON, 2616A N.—5 rooms; steam heat; $20. SACKS, CE. 1395.

$18 3513 N. SPRING, 3 rms., bath, furnace, garage; A1 shape. EV. 3511.

WRIGHT, 1950—First floor, 3 rooms, newly decorated; inside toilet.

Northwest

ASHLAND, 5626—5 rooms, bath, furnace. Keeney-Toelle, 5506 Nat. Bridge. MU. 7370

HARNEY, near Riverview, 5 rooms, all conveniences; cut to $18. FO. 3573.

HEBERT, 5604—4 rooms, bath, furnace, hardwood floors; $23. Keeney-Toelle, 5506 Nat. Bridge. MU. 7370

HEBERT, 5620—3 rooms, hardwood floors, tile bath, $26. Keeney-Toelle, 5506 Nat. Bridge. MU. 7370

LABADIE, 5133A—3 rooms, very modern, detail. MOUND CITY TRUST, CO. 3600.

LABADIE, 4844A—Newly decorated 5 rooms, bath, furnace; $22.50. CE. 1395.

ST. FERDINAND, 4636A—4 rooms, bath; corner flat; all light rooms; $19. DOUGHERTY R. E. CO., 109 N. 7th.

South

**4 ROOMS AND TOILET**
604 Barton; good condition; only $12. B. H. STOLTMAN R. E. CO., NE. 1091.

COMPTON, 3814A S.—2 nice rooms in rear; couple; $9.

FOLSOM, 3925—4 rooms, bath, furnace, $18; 1223A Jefferson, 3 rooms, bath, newly decorated, $12. CE. 1395.

KEOKUK, 2703—4 large light rooms, bath, $20; newly decorated. Apply 2703 Keokuk.

LYNCH, 1014A—3 rooms, toilet; $12; vacant. BOEHM, LA. 9543.

MERAMEC, 3883—3 rooms and in-a-dor bed, kraftex walls; modern; refrigeration furnished; $27.50. CE. 1395.

MORGANFORD, 3731A—2 rooms, bath, 3326 Shenandoah, 4 rooms. LA. 5589.

NEBRASKA, 2216—Lower 5 rooms, bath, furnace; garage; adults. GR. 6385.

NINTH, 1517 S.—3 rooms and bath; attic; newly decorated; $14.

ST. VINCENT, 2821—6 rooms, bath, furnace; $35. KAMP. CH. 8342.

SEVENTH, 2600 S.—3 rooms, toilet, $9. KAMP, 12 N. 8th st. CH. 8342.

SHENANDOAH, 3515—6 rooms; modern; garage; $32.50. KAMP. CH. 8342.

SHENANDOAH, 3944—5 rooms, and sunroom, newly decorated, $32.50, garage.

Southwest

ARSENAL, 5429A — 5 rooms, modern; brick garage; $25. PR. 4696.

DEVONSHIRE, 4943A—5 rooms, bath, sleeping porch; garage; $45; modern.

ROSA, 5464A — Beautiful 5-room flat, clean; ready to move into; good location. RI. 6171.

West

ALAMO, 6430—5 rooms, sunroom, hardwood floors; steam heat.

BAYARD, 1359—3 modern rooms, bath, cement basement; $15.

BLACKSTONE, 1363—3 rms., bath $20.00
6 rooms, 2d floor, garage — — 22.50
Page, 5209A, 5 rooms, garage — 25.00
Page, 5107A, 4 rooms, modern— 22.50
All have bath and furnace. CE. 1395.

EASTON, 5932—7 rooms, suitable for 2 families, rooming house, hotel, $35.

ENRIGHT, 6003—5 rooms, sunroom, hot-water heating plant; garage; stove, refrigerator; $45. B. A. THOMPSON R. CO. PA. 0141.

EUCLID, 1122A N.—6 rooms and bath; newly decorated and remodeled; reasonable. FOrest 3566.

**1115 S. NEWSTEAD**
3 modern rooms, bath and furnace. B. H. STOLTMAN R. E. CO., NE. 1091

OLIVE, 3687A—Near Grand; 6 rooms; steam heat; $40.

PAGE, 5840A—5 rooms, bath, furnace. GROEBL-SENNIGER. $25

SHAWMUT, 1453—5 rooms, bath, heat furnished; $30. Keeney-Toelle, 5506 Nat. Bridge. MU. 7370

WAGNER, 6129—5 rooms, bath, furnace, $28.50. PA. 0583.

### FLATS FOR RENT—Furnished

West

CLARA, 1431—3 lovely rooms; heat, light, gas; garage; adults; $30.

ENRIGHT, 50xx—5 rooms, 3 beds, piano, permanent; near cars. FO. 3172.

## HOUSES

Northwest

JANET, 5735—Modern 4 rooms; garage; $23 month. EV. 0995.

SUMMIT, 5966—6-room bungalow; modern; 2 baths, garage. LAclede 8331.

South

BOTANICAL, 3651—8 rooms; hot-water heat; hardwood floors; rent $50. Dubinsky Realty Co., 504 Wainwright Bldg.

CASTLEMAN, 4051—8 rooms, bath, furnace; decorated; $40. CH. 8342.

MICHIGAN, 7116—14 rooms, modern, can buy furniture. RI. 8378W.

Southwest

OLEATHA, 6414-16 — Duplex, 4 rooms each, modern; garage; fenced yard; $35. ARCHWILL RLTY., 6525 Page. PA. 5119.

West

ALAMO, 6358—Nice 5-room bungalow; hot-water heat; newly decorated; $50. B. A. THOMPSON R. CO. PA. 0141.

DELMAR, 3951—8 rooms, clean; furnace; weatherstripped; low rent. FR. 1571.

PERSHING, 5939 — 7 rooms, sleeping porch, garage; just decorated. CA. 2057.

SUBURBAN, 6339—7 rooms, bath, $35; 6306 Suburban, 6 rooms, bath, furnace, $37.50. KAMP. CH. 8342.

SUTTER, 1162—Elegant frame, bath, garden; garage; electric, gas; reduced.

### FURNISHED HOUSES FOR RENT

South

LOUGHBOROUGH, 4654—5-room modern bungalow; garage. FL. 0793.

OLEATHA, 4337—2 rooms, brick, kitchenette, bath; adults. PR. 3725.

### HOUSES WANTED

Furnished Houses Wanted

FURNISHED HOUSE OR APARTMENT Wtd.—For 2 or 3 months; Clayton or Richmond Heights; responsible party. HI. 5888.

## SUBURBAN RENTS

Attractive Bungalow in Pasadena Park Geo. N. McDonald, 411 North Hills dr. Office open daily, incl. Sunday. EV. 5550.

Maplewood

ELM, 7451—7-room house, 2-car garage, convenient location. HIland 1534.

STANLEY, 7245A—4-room modern efficiency; sunroom; $27.50. KAMP. CH. 8342.

Overland

HARTLAND, 2490—5-room brick; steam heat, modern, bath; garage; $38.50. ARCHWILL RLTY., 6525 Page. PA. 5119.

Richmond Heights

LACLEDE STATION RD., 1325—Brand-new, modern bungalow, 5 rooms, tile bath, kitchen; $45; garage. HI. 2488.

WARNER, 7555—Attractive 6-rm. bungalow; garage; $55. LANG, HI. 6373.

WISE, 7766—Attractive 6-room flat, $45. LANG, HIland 6373.

Shrewsbury

NOTTINGHAM, 7226—4 rooms, bath, furnace; garage; $25. KAMP. CH. 8342.

Vinita Park

JEFFERSON, 8242 — 5-room brick; furnace; 2-car garage; $35. B. A. THOMPSON R. CO. PA. 0141.

University City

NEW APARTMENT.
SW. COR. FORSYTHE AND DEL-LIN DR.
3-4 rooms; rent $50 to $65; concession. DEL-LIN DEV. CORP. CA. 5800.

TULANE, 7039—Attractive rooms; refrigeration; $55. LANG, HI. 6373.

### Suburban Property—Furnished

Pine Lawn

VISTA PL., 3723—Bedroom, kitchenette, cozy studio living room. EV. 2570.

### TO LET—BUSINESS PURPOSES

South

SOULARD MARKET—Store, 717 Carroll st., good location. RI. 7628W.

Southwest

SOUTHWEST, 6008—25x53; shoe store or dress shop wanted, none within wide radius, apartment buildings, on transfer corner.

West

**LARGE HALL**
Ideal for dancing school or meeting hall. Heat furnished. 5540 Vernon avenue. Dubinsky Realty Co., 504 Wainwright Bldg.

### HOUSES, FLATS, ETC. FOR RENT, FOR COLORED

EIGHTH, 1508A S.—3 rooms, $10; 2823 Belle Glade (rear), 3 rooms, toilet, $12. KAMP. CH. 8342. (*)

## REAL ESTATE

### REAL ESTATE CARDS

LOANS—INSURANCE—SALES, G. B. & J. M. O'REILLY. MAIN 2457.

### REAL ESTATE—WTD. TO BUY

**WILL PAY CASH**
For your real estate if price suits. H. & K., 5316 Natural Bridge. EV. 8092.

FOR cash deals, quick, call GArfield 3164. CHAUNCEY P. HEATH CO., 818 Chestnut.

### Suburban Property Wanted

2-5 ACRES improved or unimproved; Ladue, Manchester to Warson rds. FRANK A. SINGER. RA. 8059. 26 N. Meramec, Clayton, Mo.

### REAL ESTATE—EXCHANGE

CHOICE 8-FAMILY APARTMENT South Side; 100 per cent rented; take smaller property. DOUGHERTY R. E. CO. CE. 0330.

RESIDENCE—12 rooms; modern; want improved farm. FO. 1862.

220 FEET on Manchester; large tavern, cabins; want flat. FO. 1862.

## SUBURBAN SALES

**8205 GARFIELD**
A beautiful home, consisting of 6 rooms, breakfast nook, sunroom, tile bath and 3-car garage.
John H. 8854 *Armbruster* AND CO. St. Charles Rd.

BUILDER MUST SACRIFICE.
Beautiful new home Lay rd. and Pine av., near York Woods. Open evenings; heated, will consider trade. Phone RE. 3686.

Glendale

100 FEET west side Sappington rd., just south of Manchester; $35 per foot. A. J. Green, NORTH ST. LOUIS TRUST CO.

Jennings

COTTAGE, $1200
Four-room frame, large lot; easy terms; located in Jennings. Phone LA. 4147, or WENZLICK, CH. 6900.

Kirkwood

FOR our new list of real values, see THE TRUST CO. OF KIRKWOOD. KI.210

St. John's Station

50 FEET west side Marshall av., just north of North av., $8.50 foot. A. J. Green, NORTH ST. LOUIS TRUST CO.

Webster Groves

FOR Webster sales and rentals, call FIRST NATIONAL REALTY. RE. 3881.

CALL WEBSTER GROVES TRUST CO. To buy or rent suburban property.

TREMBLEY-WILSON R. E. & LOAN CO. Phone RE. 0303 for Webster map and list

### BUNGALOWS AND COTTAGES

North

**Only $200 Down, 3034 New Ashland 6-Rm. Dandy Frame $2250**
Bath, furnace, 50-ft. front; 4-car garage; poor health forces owner to sell quick. SHAPIRO, 722 Chestnut, CE. 1011

BARGAIN ON GANO
Four-room brick, bath, furnace and garage, just off West Florissant; a real buy; less than $2000; better hurry. LA. 4147. WENZLICK, CH. 6900.

Northwest

MODERN BRICK BUNGALOW
5813 Park Lane; 5 rooms, hardwood floors, tile bath and kitchen, hot-water heat, oil burner; garage; $50 month. NORTH ST. LOUIS TRUST CO.

South

LEAVING TOWN—Will sell our equity in 5-room modern home for $200. Owner, 3211 St. Vincent.

Southwest

BIGGEST VALUE IN SOUTHAMPTON
Beautiful 6 rooms, 2-story bungalow, hot-water heat; 50-foot lot; must cash out and buy small home. The price will startle you. Phone now for details. O'ROURKE, RI. 4310. 5471 Gravois.

CHIPPEWA, 5346 — Here is a bargain; new 5-room matt brick bungalow; see today; $4950; open. RI. 4898.

COTTAGE—5 rooms, bath, electric, etc. Price $1700. FR. 6386.

HANCOCK, 6519-23—Brand-new 5-room bungalows, tile walls; garage; all complete; $5850; open. RI. 4898.

### BUSINESS PROPERTY FOR SALE

**FOR SALE OR LEASE**
Oil station, northeast corner Geyer and Manchester Road. Good location for Kirkwood resident. Dubinsky Realty Co., 504 Wainwright Bldg.

South

**RENT $840—ONLY $3500**
Store and 6 flats; rented steady. GHERTNER CO., 5715 EASTON, MU. 1360

### SHOES FOR SALE

THE STORES WITH THE BIG YELLOW SIGNS

We Fit Your Size to Your Purse

ORTHOPEDIC
**HEALTH**
SHOES
(Tri-Point Steel Supports)
Factory cancellations of only the highest priced Shoes made. All with original brands.
$4, $6, $8, $10 Qualities
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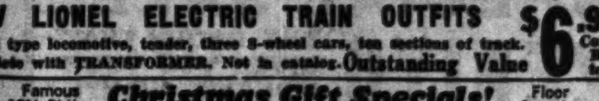

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20. Crust of bread
22. Lair
25. Haul
28. Make a mistake
29. Shy
31. Japanese coin
32. Symbol for radium
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38. Becloud
40. Memorandum
41. Distress call
44. Large plant
45. Exclamation
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54. Part of a printing press
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58. Husband of Queen Victoria
59. Refreshed by repose

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1. Pouch
2. Away: prefix
3. One who belongs
4. Drive out
5. Frequently
6. Parson bird
7. Sphere
8. Lined
9. Bird house
10. Came together
11. Wages
16. Near
17. Pronoun
20. Wading bird
21. Muse of lyric and amatory poetry
22. Immerse
23. Australian bird
24. Nothing
26. Nest of a bird of prey
27. Goblin
29. Also
30. Light touch
33. Church dignitary
34. Slows
37. Greek letter
39. Thirsty
41. Odor
42. Correct: colloq.
43. Less perilous
46. Declare
47. Large dog
48. Health resort
49. Entirely
52. Unrefined metal
53. Pertaining to the north pole of a magnet
55. Bachelor of arts: abbr.
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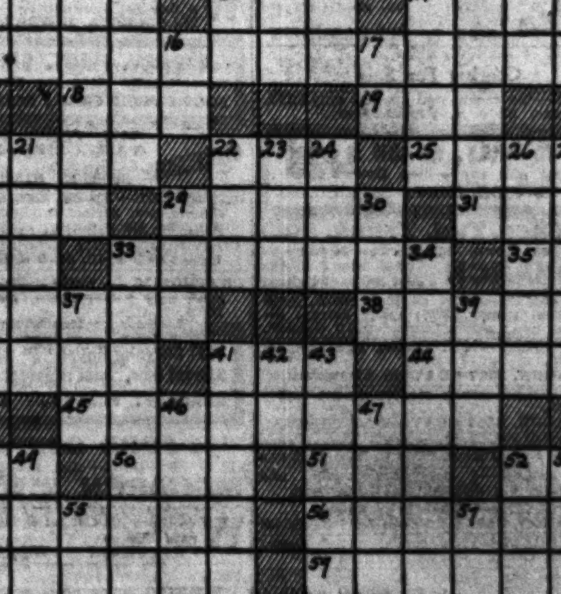

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George Leighton Bridge, president of the company, said to a Post-Dispatch reporter today that the company, with about 50 employes at present, would continue as a tenant in the building which it has used by rental from the Union Boulevard Holding Corporation. The holding company took over the property after a foreclosure on the part of bondholders, and has sold it for $175,000 to the hardware firm, which intends to use it as a wholesale department and warehouse, with the exception of the part still occupied by the manufacturing firm. This portion of the plant is on the Brown avenue side.

Hudson E. Bridge, grandfather of the present head of the firm, founded the business chiefly for the manufacture of plows. It engaged also in manufacture of stoves and ranges, which now constitute its entire output.

## AMBASSADOR DODD MAKES FAREWELL SPEECH IN BERLIN

### Nations Farther Apart Than Ever, He Says; German People "Basically Democratic."

By the Associated Press.

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The 100-year-old Bridge & Beach Manufacturing Co., founded in 1837 and probably the oldest manufacturing concern in the St. Louis area, will remain in business in a portion of its former plant at Union boulevard and Brown avenue, following sale of the property to the Central Hardware Co.

George Leighton Bridge, president of the company, said to a Post-Dispatch reporter today that the company, with about 50 employes at present, would continue as a tenant in the building which it has used by rental from the Union Boulevard Holding Corporation. The holding company took over the property after a foreclosure on the part of bondholders, and has sold it for $175,000 to the hardware firm, which intends to use it as a wholesale department and warehouse, with the exception of the part still occupied by the manufacturing firm. This portion of the plant is on the Brown avenue side.

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## Roosevelt Got None of Bills He Asked for From Congress

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sage demanding that Congress cut to $125,000,000 its authorization of $238,000,000 a year for public roads during the fiscal years 1939 and 1940. Although many Senators and Representatives vociferously clamored for governmental economy in general, they adamantly refused to reduce these regional subsidies to the pre-depression level. Under the existing law, Secretary of Agriculture Wallace must allocate to the states before Dec. 31, the $238,000,000 already authorized for the next fiscal year and thus establish a moral obligation on the Federal Government to appropriate the funds. If the President's recommendation had been followed, more than $100,000,000 would have been saved next year.

### What Congress Did.

Instead of enacting the bills the President demanded, Congress passed only five minor bills. These were:

An appropriation of $225,000 for extra mileage for members to attend the special session.

An appropriation of $12,000 to pay the Senate and House pages.

The loan of four paintings in the Capitol for use in celebration of the sesqui-centennial of the Constitution.

Amendments of the Credit Union Act.

Extension of time for the building of a bridge across the Tennessee River in Alabama.

### Mileage Bill Criticised.

Much criticism has been directed at the fact that both houses unanimously adopted the resolution appropriating $225,000 for extra mileage, since very few of the members will return to their homes during the holidays. Another way to look at it is that these members receive $10,000 a year each, and by being forced to attend the special session they were doing only what other $10,000-a-year men usually do—namely, to earn their salaries by staying on the job.

Most of the Senators and Representatives, however, did not stay on the job yesterday. When the Senate adjourned sine die at 5:02 p. m. there were eight members on the floor. Vice-President Garner was in the chair. The House adjourned a few minutes later with 66 members in their seats. Adjournment was the only possible course. So many House members had left town that a quorum could not have been mustered to pass on the conference report on the housing bill, had such a report been offered. Usually the House has a hilarious songfest during the final hours of adjournment. Even this was omitted yesterday.

### G. O. P. Leader's Summary.

Representative Snell of New York, the Republican leader, facetiously summed up the work of the extra session when he listed the following "accomplishments":

The President's fishing trip off the Florida coast.

The Vice-President's hunting trip in Pennsylvania.

The potato-eating contest between Maine and Idaho Congressmen.

The presidential fishing trip," Snell said, "resulted in a toothache, and the result of the special session is a toothache for the whole country."

The administration's retort to these slighting observations was made by Chairman O'Connor of the House Rules Committee, who called attention to the work of the Ways and Means Committee on modification of the tax laws and the progress made by the Appropriation Committee on the expenditure bills.

"The progress made toward tax revision alone," O'Connor asserted, "would justify the existence of the special session."

### Anti-Lynching Up Jan. 6.

One measure not on the presidential agenda made progress in the Senate. That was the anti-lynching bill, which passed the House at the last regular session. A filibuster on this bill by Southern Senators postponed a final roll call, but by an agreement between Majority Leader Barkley of Kentucky and Senator Connally of Texas it will come up for debate Jan. 6. Advocates of the bill claim at least 70 votes and the Southern opposition seems resigned to defeat. The Southerners, however, are not disconsolate. If the President signs the bill—and he is expected to do so—they will have an additional explanation to their constituencies for opposing later New Deal proposals.

### Lack of Leadership.

Much of the confusion during the special session can be traced back to the Southern Senators and Representatives and the lack of leadership obvious to the most casual observer. The Southerners on the House Rules Committee were able to keep the wage and hour bill from the floor during the last regular session, and although a discharge petition forced it from this committee during the special session, the Southrners were able to defeat it on the floor of the House.

Administration leadership and discipline in the Senate and House were ineffectual. In the House, Speaker Bankhead, Majority Leader Rayburn and Rules Committee Chairman O'Connor were unable to fulfill the Rooseveltian instructions, and in the Senate, Majority Leader Barkley was unable to show the control exercised by the late Senator Robinson of Arkansas, who had the active aid of Vice-President Garner and Senator Harrison of Mississippi.

The opposition, a combination of Republicans and conservative Democrats, did not make a better showing. In both Houses, the opponents were able to block final action on the President's proposals, but did not advance a program of their own. There was much talk of revision or repeal of the undistributed profits and the capital gains tax, but here the administration became the opposition and final action was delayed.

The nearest approach to a program was the "conservative manifesto" written by Senator Bailey (Dem.), North Carolina, and Senator Vandenberg (Rep.), Michigan, for which signatures were sought. Publication of the text of this document frightened off many who were in agreement with many of its declarations and it seems to have died aborning.

## VALUE OF COTTON CROP DISCUSSED IN T V A HEARING

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of Mexico. He was permitted to state, from Government statistical reports, that the average annual value of the cotton crop in the area is $250,000,000 and that within the same territory there are 4200 miles of railroad, 1950 miles of United States highways and 8000 miles of telephone and telegraph lines.

### Part of Testimony Admitted.

Counsel for the utilities objected to all this as irrelevant and the court at first agreed, Judge Florence E. Allen saying it led into collateral issues, but later she permitted much of the offered testimony to be admitted on the theory that it bore on the question of the Government's power to legislate on flood control irrespective of its relation to navigation. It is the contention of the complainants that only as it affects navigation does the Federal Government have a clear grant of power from the Constitution to act in controlling floods, this grant being in the so-called commerce clause.

Expert engineering witnesses for TVA have testified that the system of high dams planned or constructed by it on the Tennessee and tributaries, with ultimate cost estimated at nearly half a billion dollars, would reduce the crest of floods at Cairo, Ill., at the junction of the Ohio and Mississippi rivers, by at least two feet.

There has been much contradictory testimony on this point, experts for the utilities contending that under certain conditions the TVA dams might actually increase the flood crest in the Ohio and the Mississippi, but also that the lower Mississippi is amply protected by the Jadwin plan of levees, floodways and other improvements now nearing completion.

### Knows Nothing About Power.

Another TVA expert witness yesterday said on cross-examination that he knew nothing whatever about the hydro-electric power possibilities of the TVA dams. Six others have been equally uninformed.

When he was asked to assume the TVA would have to generate 660,000 kilowatts of firm electricity and to supply 5,780,000 kilowatt-hours of firm energy a year and then to tell how much water would have to be stored in the dams so the power houses could operate through the dry months of a dry year he replied that he had no idea—he had heard the figures mentioned for the first time in the court room. This witness was O. N. Floyd of Dallas, Tex., a consulting hydraulic engineer, who had qualified as an expert. In direct testimony Floyd said it was his opinion the TVA system of dams would be of substantial benefit for flood protection at Cairo and on the lower Mississippi.

### Asked About Flood.

Another TVA engineer, Joseph H. Kimball, was cross-examined about a destructive flood in 1929 on the Emory River, a tributary of the Clinch, which in turn flows into the Tennessee. He was asked if there had not been about 50 lives lost in that flood, and he agreed the number was about that. He had testified extensively as to how the TVA plan would afford property protection from floods on the Tennessee and the Mississippi and his attention was called to the fact that there is no provision in the plan to protect the Emory valley. He justified this on the ground that the flood there was of "cloudburst" character and not likely to occur again.

This witness, too, knew nothing about the storage requirements for power, which the complainants assert is the major purpose, and an unconstitutional one, of TVA accounting for the greater part of the cost of the proposed system by the inclusion of power houses at the dams and extensive transmission lines and substations.

## CUMMINGS SEEKS VIEWS OF OFFICIALS ON WIRE-TAPPING

### Supreme Court Ruling Leaves Two Questions Unanswered, Attorney-General Declares.

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22.—Attorney-General Cummings said today he would confer with other administration officials and members of the House Judiciary Committee on the advisability of new legislation authorizing Government agents to tap wires while investigating criminal cases.

The Supreme Court held Monday that evidence gathered tapping interstate wires was inadmissible as evidence in Federal Courts.

Cummings said at his press conference the Court left two questions unanswered. One was, he said, whether law enforcement officers could tap wires if they did not divulge in any way information gained in that way.

The other question, he asserted, was whether evidence gathered by tapping communications solely within states might not be employed as evidence in Federal Court.

## SENATE INQUIRY INTO VIGILANTE WORK IN STRIKES

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tivities of John L. Lewis, and to secure, at every opportunity, the names of organizers in their particular territories who have affiliated themselves with Lewis in his present project of organizing industrial unions."

Describing the routine methods of the spy system, the report states that at least two agencies—Pinkerton and the Railway Audit and Inspection Co.—maintain "editors" who read and "correct" all spy reports before they are forwarded to employers. In explanation, a Pinkerton official testified:

"A lot of times, the correspondent, not having as much education as some people, don't put it up in the best English, and their statements I had to smooth out."

### Company Spy System.

The committee found that a growing number of corporations are abandoning the use of detective agencies in favor of company spy systems. It attributes this development to the following factors: "The untrustworthiness of private detective agencies, many of them primarily interested in creating conditions which will perpetuate their jobs; recent legislative requirements, such as the registration of all employes under the Social Security Act, S E C regulations, requiring statements of payments made, and finally, the odium associated with the employment of private detective agencies."

The committee reports that the effrontery of the agencies reached an all-time peak when a Pinkerton man attempted to sell the services of that agency to the LaFollette committee, itself, in conducting the present investigation. There was testimony that Sam H. Brady, who had been exposed as a spy and expelled from the International Association of Machinists, before becoming superintendent of the Pinkerton branch in Cincinnati, approached Mayor Davison of Alexandria, Va., (home of John L. Lewis), and through him sought to establish a contact with Chairman LaFollette. The Mayor testified that he turned him down cold.

### Large Companies Named.

Following are some of the large corporations listed by the committee as having employed labor spies, and purchased arms, together with the sums spent for those and similar purposes in the years 1933-1936. General Motors has been mentioned. Others are:

Aluminum Co. of America—for espionage and munitions, $39,900.

American Smelting and Refining Co.—for espionage, guards and "strike expense," $77,877.

Baldwin Locomotive Works—for espionage, guards and plant protection, $159,078.

Bethlehem Steel Corporation—for espionage and munitions, $72,285.

Carter Carburetor Corporation of St. Louis—for espionage, $12,120.

Chrysler Corporation—for espionage and strike expense, $275,534.

Colt Fire Arms Co.—"strike expense" and espionage, $35,102.

Consolidated Edison Co. of New York—for espionage, $112,807.

Curtis Publishing Co. (publisher of the Saturday Evening Post)—for espionage, $47,796.

Philadelphia Evening Bulletin—for espionage, $70,086.

Frick Coke Co. (subsidiary of United States Steel)—munitions, espionage and "strike expense," $116,474.

Goodyear Tire and Rubber Co.—munitions, espionage and "strike expense," $72,661.

Illinois Steel Co. (subsidiary of United States Steel)—espionage, munitions and "strike expenses," $66,931.

Kansas City Public Service Co.—for espionage, $26,401.

Kroger Grocery and Baking Co. of St. Louis—"strike expense" incurred in 1936, $50,000.

### Ship Building Concern.

Milwaukee Electric Railway and Light Co.—munitions, guards and plant protection, $100,384.

National Biscuit Co. of New York—"strike expense," $721,451.

New York Shipbuilding Corporation (builders of many Navy ships)—for espionage, $130,754.

Radio Corporation of America Manufacturing Co.—for plant protection, "strike expense," excess manufacturing costs due to strike, $1,007,350.

Republic Steel Corporation—for munitions, $74,555.

(It was in the strike at the Republic's Chicago plant that Chicago policemen killed 10 strike demonstrators last Memorial day. Testimony before the committee indicated that the company supplied the police with weapons and munitions.)

Shell Petroleum Corporation of St. Louis—espionage, $7153.

Tennessee Coal, Iron and Railroad Co. (subsidiary of United States Steel)—munitions, plant protection, wages of strikebreakers, subsistence for strikebreakers, transportation of guards and special deputies, miscellaneous "strike expense," $413,826.

Wheeling Steel Corporation—investigation and espionage, guards and plant protection, "strike expense" and munitions, $344,153.

Wagner Electric Co. of St. Louis—for espionage, $6083.

### Other St. Louis Concerns.

Other St. Louis concerns listed in the report as having employed labor spies, but whose expenditures for that purpose are not given, are: Angelica Jacket Co., Premium Cap Co., General Materials Co., Columbia Can Co., Beatrice Creamery Co., Coronado Hotel, Atlas Linen and Towel Co., St. Louis Laundry Board of Trade, Western Last Co., Hammond Sheet Metal Co., Medart Co., Gulf Pipe Line, Shell Petroleum, Standard Oil, F. Burkart Manufacturing Co., Eternit Co., Missouri Pacific Railroad and the Frisco Railroad. In addition, were the Alton Boxboard and Paper Co., Alton, Ill., and the Aluminum Ore Co. of East St. Louis.

# NEW YORK CURB MARKET

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NEW YORK, Dec. 22.—Following is a complete list of transactions on the New York Curb Exchange today, giving sales, high, low and closing prices on all stock and bond transactions:

| SECURITY. | Sales. | High. | Low. | Close. | Net Ch'ge. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| STOCKS. | | | | | |
| Ac Wir vtc4g | *125 | 27 | 26½ | 26½ | .... |
| †A S MfgB⅛g | 8 | 3⅛ | 3⅛ | 3⅛ | .... |
| Ainswor 1½g | 1 | 6⅞ | 6⅞ | 6⅞ | — ⅛ |
| †Air Devices | 6 | ⅞ | ¾ | ⅞ | .... |
| †Air Investors | 3 | 1¾ | 1¾ | 1¾ | .... |
| Air Inv war | 2 | ⅜ | ⅜ | ⅜ | .... |
| Alliance Inv | 2 | 1¼ | 1 | 1 | — ⅜ |
| Alu Co Am | *1150 | 87 | 81 | 83 | •1½ |
| Alum Co pf 6 | 1 | 105¼ | 105 | 105 | —1 |
| Alum Ltd | 2 | 77 | 76 | 76 | —2 |
| do pf 6 | *150 | 98 | 98 | 98 | •1 |
| †Am Airlines | 2 | 10⅛ | 10⅛ | 10⅛ | — ⅜ |
| †Am BBo 1.55g | 3 | 8½ | 8½ | 8½ | • ⅛ |
| †Am Centrifu | 2 | 1⅞ | 1⅞ | 1⅞ | • ⅛ |

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| STOCKS. | | | | | |
| †Irving A C 1a | 1 | 7⅜ | 7⅛ | 7⅛ | — ⅛ |
| †Jacobs Co 2g | 7 | 6 | 5¾ | 5⅛ | — ⅛ |
| Jer C P & L 7pc pf 7 | †20 | 82 | 82 | 82 | —1 |
| †Jon & Na.30g | 1 | 2¾ | 2¾ | 2¾ | .... |
| Jon & L Stl | 3 | 37⅜ | 37 | 37 | — ¼ |
| †Kenned .50g | 6 | 5½ | 5⅜ | 5½ | .... |
| †King Pr. .40 | 8 | 2⅝ | 2½ | 2½ | — ⅛ |
| †King Pr .40 | 7 | 2⅝ | 2½ | 2½ | — ⅛ |
| Kirk LGM.09g | 1 | 1¼ | 1¼ | 1¼ | .... |
| †Kru Br 1⅜g | 4 | 7¼ | 7⅛ | 7⅛ | — ⅜ |
| Lac RR NJ 4 | *10 | 45½ | 45½ | 45½ | • ½ |
| La Sh M 4a | 10 | 51⅛ | 50⅞ | 51⅛ | • ⅜ |

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| DOMESTIC BONDS. | | | | |
| Am P & L 6 2016 | 11 | 81 | 79½ | 79½ |
| Appal El P 5 56 | 2 | 105¼ | 105¼ | 105¼ |
| Appal Pow 5 41 | 2 | 107⅛ | 107⅛ | 107⅛ |
| †Ark Lou Gas 4 51 | 15 | 100 | 100 | 100 |
| Ark P&L 5 56 | 1 | 93⅛ | 93⅛ | 93⅛ |
| As Elec 4½ 53 | 5 | 37⅛ | 36¾ | 37 |
| As G & E 5 50 | 7 | 34¼ | 33¾ | 33¾ |
| As G & E 5 68 | 15 | 31¼ | 30½ | 31 |
| As G & E 4½ 49C | 7 | 29 | 28½ | 29 |
| As T&T 5½ 55 A | 3 | 72½ | 72¼ | 72¼ |
| Baldw L 6 50 | 18 | 73 | 72½ | 72½ |
| Bell T Can 5 55 A | 40 | 113½ | 113½ | 113½ |
| do 5 57 B | 3 | 119⅝ | 119½ | 119⅝ |
| Beth St 6 98 | 27 | 130 | 129 | 129⅛ |
| Birm El 4½ 68 | 10 | 82 | 82 | 82 |
| Can Nor P 5 53 | 2 | 103¼ | 103¼ | 103¼ |
| Cen Ill P S 5 68 G | 1 | 99⅛ | 99⅛ | 99⅛ |
| Cen Ill PS 4½ 67 F | 2 | 93 | 93 | 93 |
| Cen Oh L&P 5 50 | 11 | 92½ | 92 | 92½ |

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| do 4½ 70D | 2 | 103¾ | 103¾ | 103¾ |
| S E P & L 6 2025A | 6 | 95 | 94½ | 94½ |
| †So Cal Ed 3¾ 60 | 13 | 105 | 104¾ | 104⅞ |
| Stand G&E 6 35 | 5 | 54½ | 54½ | 54½ |
| do 6 35 ct | 10 | 54½ | 54 | 54½ |
| do 6 35 cv | 14 | 55 | 55 | 55 |
| do 6 51 | 19 | 56 | 55½ | 55½ |
| do 6 66 | 1 | 54½ | 54½ | 54½ |
| Stand P&L 6 57 | 38 | 53½ | 53 | 53 |
| †Starrett Corp 5 50 | 5 | 23¼ | 23¼ | 23¼ |
| Ten Pub S 5 70 | 1 | 63⅜ | 63⅜ | 63⅜ |
| Tex El S 5 60 | 7 | 97½ | 97⅜ | 97½ |
| do 5 56 | 22 | 103⅜ | 103⅜ | 103⅜ |
| Unit L&P 6½ 74 | 2 | 73 | 73 | 73 |
| do 6 75 | 13 | 68¼ | 68 | 68 |
| do 5½ 59 | 3 | 97½ | 97 | 97 |
| Unit L & Ry 5½ 52 | 15 | 78 | 77½ | 78 |
| do 6 52 A | 1 | 104 | 104 | 104 |
| Utah P&L 6 2022A | 4 | 76½ | 76¼ | 76½ |
| Virg P S 5 50 B | 5 | 85 | 83 | 85 |
| †Waldorf-A 5 54 | 8 | 14 | 14 | 14 |
| Wash G Lt 5 58 | 14 | 105 | 105 | 105 |
| Wash W P 5 60 | 14 | 105⅝ | 105½ | 105½ |
| West Newsp U 6 44 | 1 | 38 | 38 | 38 |
| W Tex Ut 5 57 A | 26 | 87¼ | 86½ | 86½ |
| W U G&E 5½ 55A | 10 | 104½ | 104¼ | 104¼ |
| †Wisc P&L 4 66 A | 1 | 93¼ | 93¼ | 93¼ |
| FOREIGN BONDS. | | | | |
| Agri M B 7 47 | 1 | 20½ | 20½ | 20½ |
| Cauca Val 7 48 | 2 | 7 | 7 | 7 |
| Chile MB 6 31 | 7 | 14 | 14 | 14 |
| Ger C Mun 7 47 | 1 | 20¼ | 20¼ | 20¼ |
| do 6 47 | 1 | 20⅛ | 20⅛ | 20⅛ |
| Guan & W R 6 58 | 3 | 52¼ | 52¼ | 52¼ |
| It Sup P 6 63 A | 4 | 39 | 38⅜ | 38⅜ |
| Nippon EP 6½ 53 | 3 | 60¼ | 60 | 60 |
| Parana Br 7 58 | 5 | 12½ | 12 | 12 |
| Pomerania E 6 53 | 3 | 20¼ | 20¼ | 20¼ |
| Prussia E 6 54 | 1 | 21½ | 21½ | 21½ |
| Rio de J 6½ 59 | 5 | 9¾ | 9¾ | 9¾ |
| Russ 6½ NC 19 | 9 | ½ | ½ | ½ |
| Stinnes 4 40 2d st | 1 | 43½ | 43½ | 43½ |
| do 4 46 2d st | 1 | 40½ | 40½ | 40½ |

††Ex-dividend. **Ex-rights. a-Also extra or extras. b-Including extra or extras. e-Paid last year. f-Payable in stock. g-Declared or paid so far this year; no regular rate. h-Cash or stock. k-Accumulated dividend paid or declared this year. ur-Under rule. ww-With warrants. xw-Without warrants. war-Warrants. Rates of dividends in the foregoing table are annual disbursements based on the last quarterly or semi-annual declaration. Unless otherwise noted, special or extra dividends are not included. †Officially listed on application by the corporation. Other securities are admitted to dealing as "unlisted"

## WHOLESALE BUTTER DROP

By the Associated Press.

CHICAGO, Dec. 22.—Wholesale butter prices dropped more than 3 cents a pound today reflecting decreased consumption increased production reports.

"Extras" were quoted at 34 cents a pound, compared with 37½ yesterday and 39½ two weeks ago, a seven-year high.

Traders said evidences of lessened consumer demand were visible in the weekly storage figures which showed the movement of stocks out of storage in the 35 principal cities last week was more than 1,000,000 pounds less than in the corresponding week of 1936.

## VEGETABLE MARKET

ST. LOUIS PRODUCE MARKET, Dec. 22.—The following report on prices paid here today to dealers by purchasers of round lots of vegetables was made by the "St. Louis Daily Market Reporter":

POTATOES—100-lb sacks, Idaho russet burbanks, No. 1, $1.35@1.45; 15-lb sacks, 25@26c each; commercial and No. 2, $1.20@1.30; Colorado McClures, $1.40@1.50; egg size, $1.05; Nebraska triumphs, No. 1, $1.25@1.35; Minnesota and North Dakota cobblers, No. 1, $1.15@1.30; triumphs, $1.15; Wisconsin cobblers, $1.40.

Track carlot—Idaho russets, $1.32½; No. 2, $1.10; Nebraska triumphs, $1.20.

NEW POTATOES—Florida hampers, triumphs, $2.75.

## $89,000,000 SALES BUT PACKER LOSES $670,542

### John Morrell & Co. Reports Net Loss First Time Since 1911.

By the Associated Press.

OTTUMWA, Ia., Dec. 22.—John Morrell & Co., packers, had a net loss of $670,542.68 for the fiscal year ended Oct. 30, despite net sales in excess of $89,000,000, T. Henry Foster, president, announced today.

Foster attributed the loss mainly to drouth of recent years which brought on a serious shortage of supplies. It was the first loss for the firm since 1911, he said.

## HOG OFFERINGS LIGHT AND PRICES ADVANCE

EAST ST. LOUIS, Ill., Dec. 22.—(U. S. Department of Agriculture)—Hogs 6000; none through; 1500 direct; market 25@40c higher; sows 10@25c up; bulk 120-200 lbs, $8.25@8.35; top $8.40; 210-230 lbs $8@8.25; 240-250 lbs $7.85@8; few 280 lbs. $7.50; odd lots cleanup deals to packers slightly under quotations; most good pigs 110 lbs down $7.75@8.25; others unevenly discounted; good sows mostly $6.40@6.75.

Cattle 2000; calves 1000; receipts include 300 through; market slow on steers; few sales about steady; heifers very draggy and bids unevenly lower with very few disposed of; vealers 25c higher; cowstuff and bulls steady; a few steers $7@8.75; heifers largely $5.75@6.75; beef cows $4.75@5.75; cutters and low cutters $3.50@4.50; top sausage bulls $6.50; top vealers $10.75; nominal range slaughter steers $5.75@12.25; slaughter heifers $5.25@9.25.

Sheep 3000; fat lambs opened 25c lower; spots off more; about three decks choice native lambs to small killers and shippers $8.75; good and choice to packers $8@8.50, largely $8.25 down; throwouts $5@6.50; most native ewes $3.50 down.

### MISSISSIPPI VALLEY STOCKYARDS.

The Mississippi Valley Stockyards at St. Louis officially reported Wednesday's business as follows:

Receipts: Cattle 75, calves 50, hogs 300, sheep 250.

CATTLE—Veal calves 25c higher, steers and heifers slow, other classes generally steady. Steers, mixed yearlings and heifers largely $5.50@7.50, few better kind $8 and up; beef cows bulking $4.75@5.75. Cutters and low cutters $3.50@4.50. Top sausage bulls $6.50. Top vealers $10.75.

HOGS—Market active, 25@40c higher than yesterday's average. Good to choice 120 to 170's $8.25@8.40; 180 to 230's $8@8.30; 240 to 300's $7.25@8. Better packing sows $6.35@6.75.

SHEEP—Lambs 25c or more lower; sheep 50c lower; choice lambs to shippers and small killers $8.75; bulk to packers $8.50 down. Throwouts $5@6; heavy kinds discounted as much as $1; slaughter ewes $3.50 down.

### Average Cost and Weight of Hogs.

In the following table will be found a list of average cost and weight of hogs on various markets with comparisons as reported by the United States Department of Agriculture, East St. Louis:

| | Tuesday. Cost. | Tuesday. Wt. | Week ago. Cost. | Week ago. Wt. | Year ago. Cost. | Year ago. Wt. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Natl. Yds. | $7.89 | 214 | $7.98 | 230 | $9.92 | 222 |
| Chicago | 7.62 | 236 | 7.83 | 231 | 10.06 | 226 |
| Kansas City | 7.41 | 229 | 7.71 | 231 | 9.68 | 209 |
| Omaha | 7.46 | 238 | 7.64 | 237 | 9.46 | 202 |

## BUTTER, EGGS AND POULTRY

ST. LOUIS PRODUCE MARKET, Dec. 22.—Spot eggs, butter and poultry quotations as reported by the "St. Louis Daily Market Reporter" represent transactions between wholesale dealers in the produce district and indicate prices paid to shippers and truckers store-door delivery (unless otherwise specified):

Missouri standard eggs at 29c and No. 1 at 25c were 1c lower. Butter: Northern whole milk extras at 37c; nearby at 36c; standards at 35c and firsts at 32c was 2c lower; seconds at 28c were 3c lower.

EGGS—Missouri standards in good cases, 29c; No. 1 in good cases, 25c; undergrades, 16@20c.

BUTTERFAT—No. 1, 31c per lb; No. 2, 29c.

CHEESE (in jobbing way) — Per lb: Northern twins, 21c; single, 21½c; long horns, 21½c; daisies, 21½c; prints, 21½c; bricks, 21c; Missouri and nearby, 1@1½c per lb less.

BUTTER — Creamery extras, whole milk (92 score), Northern, 37c; nearby, 36c; standards (90 score), 35c; firsts, 30c; seconds, 28c; country butter, 14@15c.

### LIVE POULTRY.

FOWLS — 5 lbs and over, 18c; under 5 lbs, 15c; small and scrubs, 12½c; leghorns, 12½c; under 3 lbs, 10c.

SPRING CHICKENS — White rock, 3½ lbs and over, 20c; small, 20c; plymouth rocks, 3½ lbs and over, 20c; small, 20c; colored springs, 3½ lbs and over, 20c; small, 20c; leghorns, 2 lbs and over, 14c; leghorn stags, 12c; blacks and orpington (blue or green legged), 14c; No. 2, 10c.

BROILERS—Colored, white and plymouth rocks (2 lbs. and under), 19c; leghorns, under 1¾ lbs., 19c.

ROOSTERS — Old roosters, 12c; leghorns, 10c.

TURKEYS — Spring toms, 14 lbs. and over, 21c; hens, 10 lbs and over, 21c; small hens, 21c; small toms, 21c; old toms, 15c; old hens, 15c; No. 2, 12c.

CAPONS—Live, 6 lbs, 21c; 7 lbs, 22c; 8 lbs and over, 22c; leghorn slips, 20c; No. 2, 14c.

DUCKS—White, 4 lbs and over, 18c; small, 16c; dark, 13c; small and dark, 11c.

GEESE—Springs, 16c.

GUINEAS—Per dozen, 2 lbs. and over, $5; 1½ lbs. and over, $3; under 1½ lbs., $2.50; old guineas, $1.75.

RABBITS—No. 1, $2 per dozen.

FROGS—Per dozen, jumbo, $3.75; medium, $3.25; small, $2.75, and baby, $1.50.

PIGEONS—Per dozen, 60c.

SQUABS—Per dozen, dressed, large, 10 lbs. and over, 40c; small, 35c.

VEALS—Choice, $10.75; fair to good, $9@10; common to medium, $7@8; rough and underfed $5@6.

LAMBS—Good to choice, $8@8.25; medium to fair, $6@7; culls, $4@5; sheep, $2.50@3.50.

## FRUIT MARKET

ST. LOUIS PRODUCE MARKET, Dec. 22.—The following report on prices paid here today to produce dealers by purchasers of round lots of fruit was made by the "St. Louis Daily Market Reporter":

APPLES — Pennsylvania bu jonathans, No. 1, 2½-inch, $1; Michigan jonathans, No. 1, 2½-inch, $1; Virginia bu jonathans No. 1, 90c@$1; Washington red delicious, extra fancy, box large $2@2.15; fancy $1.50; jonathans, extra fancy, $1.40@1.50; fancy $1.25@1.35.

Storage stock: Missouri-Illinois jonathans, No. 1, 2¼-inch and larger, bu, 75c@$1.15; orchard run 60@75c; grimes golden, No. 1, 2¼-inch and up, 70@90c; golden delicious, No. 1, 2½-inch and up, 85c@$1.50; commercial 60@65c; red delicious No. 1, 2½-inch and up 85c@$1.25; poor, etc., 80@85c; staymen winesaps, 90c@$1; blacktwigs, No. 1, 2½-inch and up 90c@$1; yorks, No. 1, 80c@$1; orchard run, unclassified, 70@75c; rome beauty, 2¾-inch, 85c@$1; winesaps, 2¼-inch and up, $1@1.15.

Common storage: Willowtwigs, No. 1, 2½-inch, 75c@$1; orchard run, etc., 65c; yorks, No. 1, 2½-inch and larger, 65@75c; 2-inch 50@60c.

## LEAD, ZINC AND COPPER

Llead was steady at $4.60 per 100 lbs in St. Louis today. Zinc was steady at $5 per 100 lbs.

NEW YORK, Dec. 22.—Copper steady; electrolytic spot and future, 10.12½@11.00; export, 10.15. Tin steady; spot and future, 42.75. Lead steady; New York, spot, 4.75@4.80; East St. Louis, 4.60. Zinc steady; East St. Louis spot and future, 5.00. Iron, aluminum, antimony, quicksilver, platinum and wolframite unchanged.

NEW YORK, Dec. 22.—Domestic lead refinery stocks at the end of November totaled 113,573 tons, compared with the previous month-end total of 100,646 tons and the November, 1936, figure of 176,960, the American Bureau of Metal Statistics announced today. Production was lower at 46,796 tons compared to 49,197 for October, but higher than November, 1936, by 2965 tons. Domestic shipments dropped to 33,853 tons, off 5439 tons from October, and 16,460 tons lower than November, 1936.

LONDON, Dec. 22.—Closing, copper standard spot £40 5s; future £40 11s 3d; electrolytic spot, bid £44; asked £45 10s. Tin spot 189 5s; future £188 15s. Bids: Lead spot £15 11s 3d; future £15 15s; zinc spot £15 6s 3d; future £15 7s 6d.

NEW YORK, Dec. 22.—Lead futures closed unchanged. Sales 150,000 lbs.

| | High. | Low. | Close. |
|---|---|---|---|
| March | 4.70 | 4.70 | 4.70n |
| July | 4.70 | 4.70 | 4.70n |

Zinc futures closed unchanged. No sales.

Straits tin futures closed 85 higher. No sales. nNominal.

# RALLY FAILS TO HOLD IN STOCK LIST; CLOSE HEAVY

## Steel Issues, in Van of Brief Recovery Swing, Fall Under Profit and Tax Selling — Aircrafts Also Dip.

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 22.—A half-hearted rally failed to hold in today's stock market and leaders tilted backward fractions to point or more.

Steel issues, at the van of the brief recovery swing, fell under profit and tax selling, followed by aircraft and motors which had also enjoyed higher levels.

Developments provided little inspiration on the speculative side and trading was largely of the in-and-out variety. The pace was only moderate.

Department of Labor figures indicating a more than seasonal 10.8 per cent decrease in factory payrolls from October to November dampened investment sentiment. Employment dropped 5.8 per cent in the same period.

Transactions approximated 1,200,000 shares.

**U. S. Bonds Sag Late.**

U. S. Government loans, which had improved during the morning, sagged at the bond market's close. Domestic corporate issues were narrow and uneven.

Hides again advanced but other commodities were generally lower. Wheat at Chicago finished ½ to 1⅛ cents a bushel off, and corn was down ⅝ to 1⅝ cents.

President Roosevelt's letter to Representative Cartwright insisting on efforts to cut the budget was published too late to draw much market attention.

U. S. Steel, which at one time had shown an advance, closed off about a point for the day, but Youngstown Sheet and Tube held an earlier gain.

Others on the minus side were Bethlehem, Chrysler, General Motors, Douglas Aircraft, Boeing, Montgomery Ward, International Harvester, J. I. Case, Westinghouse Electric, Amerada, Santa Fe, New York Central, Allis Chalmers, du Pont, Anaconda Copper, American Smelting, Johns-Manville, Eastman Kodak, Goodyear, Consolidated Edison and Union Carbide.

Down at the finish were Hercules Powder, J. C. Penney, Owens-Illinois, Crown Cork & Seal, Commercial Credit, Borg-Warner and Continental Oil.

At mid-afternoon sterling was unchanged at $4.99⅞ and the French franc was off .00⅛ of a cent at 3.39⅝ cents.

Cotton was off 15 to 30 cents a bale.

**News of the Day.**

Continued gossip of a wide Government rearmament plan bolstered steels, aircraft and other "war babies," although, with tension somewhat relieved in the Far East, Wall Street appeared to discount the probability of a crisis there.

Rails were pretty well neglected as traders took account of the November net operating income report of six roads showing a decrease of about 39 per cent from the corresponding figures of last year. Rail equipment issues appeared in fair demand, however.

Traders found little to affect the market either way in last night's adjournment of Congress. While legislation of importance failed to reach the White House, it was pointed out the farm and housing bills were left in such shape early action at the regular session was possible.

A rather gloomier picture was painted in a report of the Bureau of Agricultural Economics that any recovery in industrial production early in 1938 was unlikely to be very marked or well sustained during the first half of the year. It pointed out the industries most affected in the recession were those with high inventories.

**Weekly Industrial Review.**

Analysts noted the "Iron Age" report that sentiment in the steel trade was "decidedly improved," and that "tangible evidences of a turn for the better are found in the conditions of consumers' stocks." Early improvement in 1938, however, was likely to be moderate, the publication said.

A less than seasonal advance in electric power production for the week ended Dec. 18, as reported by the Edison Electric Institute, and a 9 per cent drop in engineering construction awards under the corresponding period of last year, were about what had been expected. Department store sales in the New York metropolitan area for the first 13 days of December ran 2.9 per cent above 1936, it was disclosed.

**Day's 15 Most Active Stocks.**

Sales, closing price and net change of the 15 most active stocks today:

General Motors, 33,600, 32⅝, down ⅝; U. S. Steel, 30,100, 59⅝, down 1¾; Chrysler, 28,200, 54⅝, down 1⅝; Bethlehem Steel, 27,400, 62, down ½; International Nickel, 17,100, 46½, down ⅛; Youngstown Sheet and Tube, 16,500, 42⅞, up 1; Anaconda, 15,900, 32¼, down 1⅜; Standard Oil of New Jersey, 14,900, 46¼, down ½; Electric Boat, 14,200, 7⅞, up ⅜; General Electric, 13,500, 44, down 1; Commonwealth and Southern, 12,100, 2, down ⅛; Paramount Pictures, 12,100, 10⅛, down ¼; New York Central, 12,000, 19, down 1⅛; Texas Corporation, 11,200, 42, down ⅝; Republic Steel, 10,700, 18⅝, down ¾.

# COMMODITY INDEX AVERAGES

Other statistics showing economic trend.

**TREND OF STAPLE PRICES.**

NEW YORK, Dec. 22.—The Associated Press daily wholesale price index of 35 basic commodities:

| | |
|---|---|
| Wednesday | 74.54 |
| Tuesday | 74.93 |
| Week ago | 75.58 |
| Month ago | 76.12 |
| Year ago | 88.25 |

**RANGE OF RECENT YEARS.**

| | 1937. | 1936. | 1935 | 1933-34 |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| High | 98.14 | 89.22 | 78.68 | 74.91 |
| Low | 74.54 | 71.31 | 71.84 | 41.44 |

(1936 average equals 100.)

**STOCK PRICE AVERAGES.**

(Compiled by Dow-Jones.)

| Stocks. | High. | Low. | Close. | Change. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 30 Indus. | 130.52 | 127.99 | 128.55 | —1.43 |
| 20 R. R. | 32.72 | 32.20 | 32.28 | —.37 |
| 20 Util. | 21.85 | 21.33 | 21.42 | —.39 |
| 70 stocks | 43.75 | 42.90 | 43.07 | —.53 |

(Compiled by the Associated Press.)

| Stocks. | High. | Low. | Close. | Chge. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 30 Industrials | 66.0 | 64.5 | 64.8 | —1.0 |
| 15 Railroads | 21.9 | 21.3 | 21.4 | —.5 |
| 15 Utilities | 34.3 | 33.6 | 33.9 | —.2 |
| 60 Total | 46.9 | 45.9 | 46.1 | —.7 |

| | 30 Ind'ls. | 15 Rails. | 15 Util. | 60 Stocks. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Net change | —1.0 | —.5 | —.2 | —.7 |
| Wednesday | 64.8 | 21.4 | 33.9 | 46.1 |
| Tuesday | 65.8 | 21.9 | 34.1 | 46.8 |
| Week ago | 62.9 | 21.1 | 33.2 | 44.9 |
| Two weeks ago | 66.1 | 22.5 | 34.8 | 47.2 |
| Month ago | 57.7 | 19.3 | 32.7 | 41.7 |
| Year ago | 94.3 | 36.9 | 50.8 | 68.9 |
| 1937 high | 101.6 | 49.5 | 54.0 | 75.3 |
| 1937 low | 57.7 | 19.3 | 31.6 | 41.7 |
| 1936 high | 99.3 | 43.5 | 53.7 | 72.8 |
| 1936 low | 73.4 | 30.2 | 43.4 | 55.7 |
| March 1, 1935 | 53.3 | 21.4 | 23.1 | 37.8 |

**MOVEMENT IN RECENT YEARS.**

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1932 low | 17.5 | 8.7 | 23.9 | 16.9 |
| 1929 high | 146.9 | 153.9 | 184.3 | 157.7 |
| 1927 low | 51.6 | 95.3 | 61.8 | 61.8 |

**BOND PRICE AVERAGES.**

(Compiled by the Associated Press.)

| | 20 Rails. | 10 Ind'ls. | 10 Util. | 10 F'g'n. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Net change | —.1 | ... | ... | —.4 |
| Wednesday | 73.8 | 97.0 | 91.1 | 65.2 |
| Tuesday | 73.9 | 97.0 | 91.1 | 65.6 |
| Month ago | 70.3 | 96.2 | 92.2 | 64.6 |
| Year ago | 97.1 | 103.9 | 102.0 | 71.8 |
| 1937 high | 99.0 | 104.4 | 102.8 | 74.7 |
| 1937 low | 70.3 | 96.2 | 90.3 | 64.2 |
| 1936 high | 98.2 | 104.4 | 103.1 | 73.0 |
| 1936 low | 86.9 | 101.8 | 99.3 | 67.6 |
| 1932 low | 45.8 | 40.0 | 64.6 | 42.2 |
| 1928 high | 101.1 | 98.9 | 102.9 | 100.5 |

**10 LOW-YIELD BONDS.**

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Wednesday | 106.9 | 1937 low | 106.9 |
| Tuesday | 106.8 | 1936 high | 113.5 |
| Month ago | 105.6 | 1936 low | 110.2 |
| Year ago | 113.1 | 1928 high | 104.4 |
| 1937 high | 113.7 | 1932 low | 86.8 |

**STOCK PRICE TREND.**

| | Wed. | Tues. |
|---|---|---|
| Advances | 166 | 327 |
| Declines | 507 | 320 |
| Unchanged | 189 | 223 |
| Total issues | 862 | 870 |
| New 1937 highs | 1 | 1 |
| New 1937 lows | 31 | 29 |

# UNITED STATES TREASURY POSITION ON DEC. 20

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22.—The position of the Treasury on Dec. 20:

Receipts, $66,118,950.81; expenditures, $130,129,632.58; balance, $3,059,180,898.37; customs receipts for the month, $20,778,150.72.

Receipts for the fiscal year (since July 1), $3,069,684,545.89; expenditures, $3,646,798,302.81, including $970,521,706.03 of emergency expenditures; excess of expenditures, $577,113,756.92; gross debt, $37,313,311,530.42, a decrease of $56,633,685.28 below the previous day; gold assets, $12,764,930,052.78, including $1,232,650,540.31 of inactive gold.

Receipts for Dec. 19, 1936 (comparable date last year), $27,429,952.44; expenditures, $26,998,677.38; net balance, $1,902,619,910.02; customs receipts for the month $26,012,843.05.

Receipts for the fiscal year, $3,340,066,949,619.98; expenditures, $3,340,216,457.38, including $1,308,821,098.92 of emergency expenditures; excess of expenditures, $1,273,266,837.40; gross debt, $34,306,299,145.91; gold assets, $11,227,187,132.65.

# TEXTILE MARKET

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 22.—Cotton goods trading was moderately active today. Staple goods demand was slow, but fancys sold in large amounts. Raw silk was 3 cents a pound higher. Rayon yarns sold in light volume at lower prices. Burlap was quiet and steady.

# ODD LOT STOCK TRADE DEC. 21

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22.—The Securities Commission reported today these transactions by customers with odd lot dealers or specialists on the New York Stock Exchange for Dec. 21: 8661 purchases involving 228,228 shares; 6801 sales involving 193,582 shares.

# FOREIGN MARKETS AT A GLANCE

By the Associated Press.

LONDON, Dec. 22.—The forthcoming Christmas holidays had a tendency to restrict business in today's stock market, but the general undertone was steady. Trans-Atlantic issues closed with fractional declines, and profit taking sales caused rayon issues to react slightly. Metal mining shares moved irregularly while other sections remained very quiet.

PARIS, Dec. 22.—Price movements were mixed in the bourse with the international group selling lower. Suez Canal declined more than 300 francs and Royal Dutch was down 84. Rentes closed unchanged and the industrial section was heavy.

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 22.—Wheat futures declined ¼d to ⅝d on announcement of the large December contract deliveries and the surprisingly small demand for wheat.

Easiness at Bombay and Alexandria cotton centers caused futures here to close 6 to 7 points down. There was some profit-taking but buyers remained hesitant.

**Merger in Financial Field.**

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 22.—Merger, effective Jan. 1, of the New York Stock Exchange firm of Lazard Freres & Co. with a wholly-owned affiliate in the underwriting field, Lazard Freres & Co., Inc., into a new partnership was announced.

The partnership will be as Lazard Freres & Co., and will engage in the underwriting and distribution of securities.

Lazard Freres, one of the older American financial houses, was founded as a drygoods business in New Orleans in 1848. Later branches were established in San Francisco, during the gold rush, and in Paris and London. In the '70s it was expanded into merchant banking. The New York house was established in 1880.

# TODAY'S NEW YORK STOCK MARKET

SPECIAL ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.

NEW YORK, Dec. 22.—Total sales today on the New York Stock Exchange amounted to 1,153,600 shares, compared with 1,283,540 yesterday, 929,610 a week ago, and 1,867,882 a year ago. Total sales from Jan. 1 to date were 399,667,695 shares, compared with 486,167,729 a year ago and 373,281,344 two years ago.

Following is a complete list of transactions, giving sales, high, low, closing prices and net changes:

| Stocks and Ann. Div. in Dollars. | Sales in 100s. | High for Day. | Low for Day. | Close for Day. | Ch'ge. for Day. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Worth P&M | 4 | 17⅝ | 17½ | 17⅝ | •⅛ |
| W P & M cv pr pfd 4½ | 2 | 44½ | 44 | 44½ | —3 |
| Wright Ae 2g | †230 | 87⅜ | 83 | 85 | •2½ |
| Wrig W Jr 3a | 4 | 60 | 59½ | 60 | .... |
| **Y** | | | | | |
| Y & T .60a | 6 | 27 | 26½ | 27 | .... |
| Y T & C | 37 | 10⅛ | 9⅝ | 9⅝ | .... |
| do 7pc pf 7 | †60 | 75 | 75 | 75 | —1¼ |
| Y S & W | 4 | 15⅛ | 15 | 15 | —1¼ |
| Y S & T 3¼g | 165 | 44¼ | 41⅝ | 42⅞ | •1 |
| **Z** | | | | | |
| Zenith Rad 2g | 35 | 14 | 13¼ | 13¾ | .... |
| Zonite Prod | 7 | 3 | 2⅜ | 2⅜ | —⅛ |

Rates of dividends in the foregoing table are annual disbursements based on the last quarterly or semi-annual declaration. Unless otherwise noted, special or extra dividends are not included. ††Ex-dividend. **Ex-rights. a-Also extra or extras. b-One-tenth share of $2 preference stock. d-One twenty-fifth share of $3 pfd stock. e-Paid last year. f-Payable in stock. g-Declared or paid so far this year. h-Cash or stock. k-Accumulated dividend paid or declared this year.

# Chicago Stock Market

By the Associated Press.

CHICAGO, Dec. 22.—Following is a complete list of transactions on the Chicago Stock Exchange today, giving sales, high, low and closing prices. Stock sales in full; bond sales, 000 omitted:

| SECURITY. | Sales. | High. | Low. | Close. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| **STOCKS.** | | | | |
| Adams Roy .20 | 100 | 5 | 5 | 5 |
| Adv Alum ½g | 250 | 3⅞ | 3⅝ | 3⅝ |
| Aetna B B 1.05g | 150 | 6½ | 6 | 6 |
| Arm & Co .70g | 2150 | 5⅝ | 5½ | 5½ |
| Aro Equip 1g | 150 | 6 | 6 | 6 |
| Asbestos Mfg | 100 | 1⅛ | 1⅛ | 1⅛ |
| Autom Prod | 50 | 1⅞ | 1⅞ | 1⅞ |
| Bar & Seel A 1.20 | 150 | 7¾ | 7½ | 7½ |
| Belden Mfg .60a | 450 | 10¼ | 10 | 10⅛ |
| do rt | 50 | 1-128 | 1-128 | 1-128 |
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| Binks Mfg .70g | 100 | 6 | 6 | 6 |
| Borg-Warner 2a | 1500 | 26¾ | 25⅝ | 25¾ |
| Brown F&W .60a | 100 | 5½ | 5¼ | 5½ |
| Bruce E L | 100 | 8 | 8 | 8 |
| Burd Piston Ring | 1200 | 4¾ | 4½ | 4½ |
| Butler Bros .60 | 850 | 7⅝ | 7½ | 7½ |
| do pfd. 1½ | 50 | 19½ | 19½ | 19½ |
| Castle A M 2a | 100 | 20 | 20 | 20 |
| Cen Il P Sv pf 4k | 10 | 49 | 49 | 49 |
| Cen Ill Sec | 50 | ⅞ | ⅞ | ⅞ |
| do pfd. | 50 | 5½ | 5½ | 5½ |
| Cen S W Ut | 150 | 2 | 1⅞ | 2 |
| Chain Belt .55g | 50 | 12¾ | 12¾ | 12¾ |
| Cherry Bur 1.40a | 50 | 18 | 18 | 18 |
| Chi & N W | 450 | 1¼ | 1⅛ | 1¼ |
| Chi Corp | 5200 | 2 | 1⅞ | 1⅞ |
| do pfd. 3 | 150 | 32½ | 32½ | 32½ |
| Chi Flex Shaft 4 | 350 | 42 | 41¼ | 41¼ |
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| Wieboldt Stores pf 5 | 10 | 76 | 76 | 76 |
| Wisc Bankshrs | 1100 | 4½ | 4⅜ | 4½ |
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| | High. | Low. | Close. |
|---|---|---|---|
| **LARD.** | | | |
| December | .... | .... | 8.27 |
| January | 8.50 | 8.45 | 8.45 |
| May | 8.92 | 8.87 | 8.87 |

Cash, tierces 8.27; loose 8.00; bellies 10.50.

# CORPORATION REPORTS

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 22.—Punta Alegre Sugar Corporation, with properties in Cuba, reported for the fiscal year ended Sept. 30 profit of $549,554, compared with $279,054 in the preceding fiscal year. After reducing $158,739 for accrued interest on income notes applicable to the year, there was a net profit of $390,815, against $131,709 in previous fiscal year.

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CLEVELAND, Dec. 22.—The Nickel Plate Railroad today reported net income for November, after all charges was $293,967.32, a decrease of $62,743.60 under the corresponding month a year ago. Net income for the 11 months' period was $2,424,945.30, a decrease of $235,980.00 compared with the same period of 1936.

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| S W Bl pfd 7 | 2 | 121 | 121 | 121 | |
| Ster Al 1.20b | 100 | 6⅝ | 6⅝ | 6⅝ | — |
| Wag El 2.75b | 65 | 25 | 24½ | 25 | •1 |
| Un Ry 4s c-dxx | 10 | 25½ | 25½ | 25½ | • |

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| Elder Mfg "A" 6a | .... | 62 |
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| Griesedieck-West 2.50b | 27 | 29 |
| Hamilton-Brown Shoe | 1¼ | 1¾ |
| Husmann-Ligonier 1.25a | 12 | 14 |
| International Shoe 2 | 32 | 33 |
| Knapp-Monarch 2k | 10½ | .... |
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| Laclede-Christy 1n | .... | 11½ |
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| Scruggs-V-B D G | 5 | 6¾ |
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| City & S P Ser 5 C-D | 26 | 26½ |
| Scullin Steel 3s | 53 | 55 |
| United Railways 4s | 25½ | 28 |
| United Railway 4 C-D | 25½ | 26 |

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# WHEAT MARKET EASES LATE WITH BUENOS AIRES

By the Associated Press.

CHICAGO, Dec. 22.—Influenced by tumbles of approximately 2½ cents a bushel in Buenos Aires quotations, the Chicago wheat market slid down more than a cent late today.

Favorable weather for completion of harvesting in Argentina was reported. The long range winter wheat estimate of the U. S. Department of Agriculture, although somewhat lower than expected, was almost entirely ignored.

At the close, Chicago wheat futures were ½@1⅛c under yesterday's finish, May 85½@⅝c, July 85½@⅝c, corn ⅝@1⅝c down, May 59⅝@¾c, July 59¼@⅜c, and oats ¼c off to ⅛c up.

Special attention by traders was given to a suggestion that Australia would have substantially increased quantities of wheat for shipment to Europe. A reason assigned was that demand from the Orient for Australian wheat would likely be small. It was added that Australia's exports during the next three months, however, would doubtless exceed last year's corresponding total, and that Australian offerings were already cheap in comparison with other exporters.

Meanwhile, advices at hand said European demand for Australian wheat was surprisingly small, and that United States distant deliveries of wheat were also being offered abroad at reduced prices. Chicago dealings in wheat futures today were of only moderate volume. Little or no export business overnight either in United States or Canadian wheat was noted.

Corn, rye and oats values sympathized with wheat market downturns. No new corn export takings of consequence were in evidence.

Provisions responded somewhat to hog price advances.

Wheat futures purchases yesterday totaled 23,422,000 bushels, corn 7,937,000. Open interest in wheat was 98,818,000 bushels, and in corn 46,619,000.

ST. LOUIS MERCHANTS' EXCHANGE, Dec. 22.—May wheat was offered at 92½c at opening today. The option was ⅝c lower on a bid.

Liverpool wheat began ½d lower and in later cable was ⅛c off. The close was ¼@⅝d lower.

Winnipeg wheat opened ¼@½c lower. The market closed ⅞@1⅜c net off.

Argentine wheat began ⅜c lower and at noon was 1¼ to 2c net off. Corn started ⅜c lower and at noon was ½@¾c off.

**St. Louis Cash Grain.**

In the cash grain market today corn was unchanged to 1c lower. Oats were unchanged to ¼c lower. Sales made on the floor of the exchange were as follows:

Wheat—No. 4 red winter wheat, 87½c.

Corn—No. 2 yellow corn, 61c; No. 3 yellow corn, 58½@59½c; No. 4 yellow corn, 56@57¼c.

Oats—No. 2 white oats, 34c; No. 3 white oats, 33½c.

Local wheat receipts, which were 15,000 bu., compared with 21,000 a week ago and 27,000 a year ago, included 10 cars local. Corn receipts, which were 354,000 bu., compared with 291,000 a week ago and 115,500 a year ago, included 235 cars local and one through. Oats receipts, which were 10,000 bu., compared with 4000 a week ago and 12,000 a year ago, included 5 cars local. Hay receipts were one car through.

# FUTURE GRAIN PRICES

ST. LOUIS MERCHANTS' EXCHANGE, Dec. 22. — The following are today's high, low, closing and previous close in local market and quotations received from other markets:

| | High. | Low. | Close. | Prev. Close. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| **DECEMBER WHEAT.** | | | | |
| Chi. | 95⅝ | 94⅝ | 94¾ | 95¾-⅝ |
| K. C. | 92¼ | 91⅝ | 91⅝a | 92½b |
| Minn. | 100½ | 100⅛ | 100¼ | 100½ |
| Winn. | 127½ | 126¼ | 126¼ | 128 |
| Liver. | 112⅝ | 111⅜ | 112⅜ | 113 |
| **MARCH WHEAT.** | | | | |
| Liver. | 110⅜ | 109¼ | 109½ | 110⅛ |
| **MAY WHEAT.** | | | | |
| St. L. | .... | .... | 92a | 92⅝b |
| Chi. | 92⅜ | 91¼ | 91⅜-¼ | 92¼-⅜ |
| K. C. | 89¼ | 88⅝ | 88¾a | 89½b |
| Minn. | 99⅝ | 99⅛ | 99⅛ | 99⅝ |
| Winn. | 117⅝ | 116¼ | 116¼-⅜ | 117⅜-½ |
| Liver. | 111½ | 110¼ | 110⅝ | 110⅞ |
| **JULY WHEAT.** | | | | |
| Chi. | 86¼ | 85⅜ | 85⅝-½ | 86¼-⅛ |
| K. C. | 82½ | 81⅞ | 81⅞b | 82⅝-¾b |
| Minn. | 96⅝ | 96⅛ | 96⅛ | 96¾ |
| Winn. | 111¼ | 110 | 110 | 110⅞-11 |
| **DECEMBER CORN.** | | | | |
| Chi. | 59⅜ | 57¾ | 57⅞ | 59½ |
| K. C. | .... | .... | 55 | 55b |
| **MAY CORN.** | | | | |
| St. L. | .... | .... | 60a | 60⅜b |
| Chi. | 60 | 59⅜ | 59½-⅜ | 60¼-⅛ |
| K. C. | 57⅞ | 57¼ | 57¼b | 58a |
| **JULY CORN.** | | | | |
| Chi. | 60 | 59¼ | 59⅜-¼ | 60⅛-60 |
| K. C. | .... | .... | 57½a | 58¼b |
| **DECEMBER OATS.** | | | | |
| Chi. | 32¼ | 32 | 32¼ | 32b |
| Minn. | .... | .... | 27⅞ | 27⅞ |
| Winn. | 47⅞ | 47⅝ | 47⅝ | 47⅝ |
| **MAY OATS.** | | | | |
| Chi. | 30½ | 30⅜ | 30½a | 30⅜b |
| **JULY OATS.** | | | | |
| Chi. | 29⅛ | 29 | 29b | 29⅛b |
| **DECEMBER RYE.** | | | | |
| Chi. | 69 | 68 | 68a | 69⅛ |
| **MAY RYE.** | | | | |
| Chi. | 70⅛ | 69 | 69b | 70⅛ |
| **JULY RYE.** | | | | |
| Chi. | 66¾ | 66 | 66b | 66⅞ |
| **DECEMBER SOY BEANS.** | | | | |
| Chi. | 94½ | 94¼ | 94¼ | 94⅝ |
| **MAY SOYBEANS.** | | | | |
| Chi. | .... | .... | 94½ | 94⅝ |
| **JULY SOY BEANS.** | | | | |
| Chi. | .... | .... | 95½ | 95¼b |

**Open Grain Interest.**

Opening grain futures prices at Chicago were as follows:

Wheat—Dec., 95⅝c; May, 92@92⅜c; July 86@86¼c. Corn—Dec., 59⅜c; May, 59⅞@60c; July 59⅞@60c. Oats—Dec., 32c; May, 30⅜c; July, 29⅛c. Soybeans—Dec., 94½c; May, 94½c; July, 95½c. Rye—Dec., 69c; May 70c; July 66¾c.

ST. LOUIS MERCHANTS' EXCHANGE, Dec. 22.—Open contracts for future deliveries of May wheat as of Dec. 18 were 281,000 bushels and 5000 bushels of May corn.

Millfeed futures open contracts as of Dec. 24 were, bran 3100 tons and gray shorts 2100. Open contracts for Chicago deliveries were, bran 14,000 tons and standard middlings 3100.

# MILL FEED FUTURES MARKET

ST. LOUIS MERCHANTS' EXCHANGE, Dec. 22.—Millfeed futures closing price changes for local deliveries were: Standard bran, 30@70c higher; gray shorts, 5@40c higher. For Chicago deliveries: Standard bran, 30@60c higher; standard middlings, 25@40c higher. Sales totaled 1300 tons.

| | Close. | Prev. Close. |
|---|---|---|
| **STANDARD BRAN.** | | |
| December | 19.80b-20.40a | 19.60b-20.00a |
| *December | 20.75b-21.10a | 20.50b-20.80a |
| January | 20.45b-20.55a | 20.00 |
| *January | 21.15b-21.50a | 20.80b-21.00a |
| February | 20.50b-20.80a | 20.20b-20.35a |
| *February | 21.30b-21.75a | 21.15 |
| March | 20.65b-21.00a | 20.30b-20.50a |
| *March | 21.50b-21.80a | 21.15b-21.35a |
| April | 19.95b-20.40a | 19.40b-19.90a |
| *April | 20.85b-21.35a | 20.25b-20.75a |
| May | 19.00b-19.45a | 18.40b-18.90a |
| *May | †19.85b-19.90a | 19.25b-19.75a |
| **GRAY SHORTS.** | | |
| December | 20.00b-20.75a | 19.85b-20.50a |
| January | 20.25b-20.85a | 20.25b-20.75a |
| February | 20.90b-21.50a | 20.90b-21.40a |
| March | 21.75b-22.40a | 21.45b-21.90a |
| April | 22.00b-22.65a | 21.85b-22.35a |
| May | 22.00b-22.65a | 21.75b-22.50a |
| **STANDARD MIDDLINGS.** | | |
| *December | 21.00b-21.60a | 20.75b-21.35a |
| *January | 21.25b-22.00a | 21.10b-21.75a |
| *February | 21.50b-22.25a | 21.35b-22.00a |
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# WHEAT MARKET EASES LATE WITH BUENOS AIRES

By the Associated Press.

CHICAGO, Dec. 22.—Influenced by tumbles of approximately 2½ cents a bushel in Buenos Aires quotations, the Chicago wheat market slid down more than a cent late today.

Favorable weather for completion of harvesting in Argentina was reported. The long range winter wheat estimate of the U. S. Department of Agriculture, although somewhat lower than expected, was almost entirely ignored.

At the close, Chicago wheat futures were ⅛@1¼c under yesterday's finish, May 91⅜@¼c, July 85½@⅝c, corn ⅝@1⅛c down, May 59⅜@½c, July 59¼@⅜c, and oats ⅛c off to ⅛c up.

Special attention by traders was given to a suggestion that Australia would have substantially increased quantities of wheat for shipment to Europe. A reason assigned was that demand from the Orient for Australian wheat would likely be small. It was added that Australia's exports during the next three months, however, would doubtless exceed last year's corresponding total, and that Australian offerings were already cheap in comparison with other exporters.

Meanwhile, advices at hand said European demand for Australian wheat was surprisingly small, and that United States distant deliveries of wheat were also being offered abroad at reduced prices. Chicago dealings in wheat futures today were of only moderate volume. Little or no export business overnight either in United States or Canadian wheat was noted.

Corn, rye and oats values sympathized with wheat market downturns. No new corn export takings of consequence were in evidence.

Provisions responded somewhat to hog price advances.

Wheat futures purchases yesterday totaled 23,422,000 bushels, corn 7,937,000. Open interest in wheat was 98,818,000 bushels and in corn 46,619,000.

ST. LOUIS MERCHANTS' EXCHANGE, Dec. 22.—May wheat was offered at 92½c at opening today. The option was ⅛c lower on a bid.

Liverpool wheat began ½d lower and in later cable was ⅛c off. The close was ⅜@½d lower.

Winnipeg wheat opened ¼@½c lower. The market closed ⅞@1¾c net off.

Argentine wheat began ¾c lower and at noon was 1¼ to 2c net off. Corn started ¾c lower and at noon was ½@¾c off.

St. Louis Cash Grain.

In the cash grain market today corn was unchanged to 1c lower. Oats were unchanged to ¼c lower. Sales made on the floor of the exchange were as follows:

Wheat—No. 4 red winter wheat, 87½c.

Corn—No. 2 yellow corn, 61c; No. 3 yellow corn, 58½@59½c; No. 4 yellow corn, 56@57½c.

Oats—No. 2 white oats, 34c; No. 3 white oats, 33½c.

Local wheat receipts, which were 15,000 bu. compared with 21,000 a week ago and 27,000 a year ago, included 10 cars local. Corn receipts, which were 354,000 bu. compared with 291,000 a week ago and 115,500 a year ago, included 235 cars local and one through. Oats receipts, which were 10,000 bu., compared with 4000 a week ago and 12,000 a year ago, included 5 cars local. Hay receipts were one car through.

## FUTURE GRAIN PRICES

ST. LOUIS MERCHANTS' EXCHANGE, Dec. 22. — The following are today's high, low, closing and previous close in local market and quotations received from other markets:

| | High. | Low. | Close. | Prev. Close. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| DECEMBER WHEAT. | | | | |
| Chi. | 95⅝ | 94⅝ | 94¾ | 95¾-⅝ |
| K. C. | 92¼ | 91⅜ | 91⅜a | 92½b |
| Minn. | 100½ | 100⅛ | 100¼ | 100½ |
| Winn. | 127½ | 126¼ | 126¼ | 128 |
| Liver. | 112⅝ | 111⅜ | 112⅝ | 113 |
| MARCH WHEAT. | | | | |
| Liver. | 110¾ | 109½ | 109½ | 110¼ |
| MAY WHEAT. | | | | |
| St. L. | .... | .... | 92a | 92⅝b |
| Chi. | 92⅜ | 91¼ | 91⅜-¼ | 92¼-⅜ |
| K. C. | 89¼ | 88⅝ | 88¾a | 89½b |
| Minn. | 99¾ | 99⅛ | 99⅛ | 99⅝ |
| Winn. | 117⅝ | 116¼ | 116¼-⅜ | 117⅜-½ |
| Liver. | 111½ | 110¼ | 110⅝ | 110⅞ |
| JULY WHEAT. | | | | |
| Chi. | 86¼ | 85⅜ | 85⅝-½ | 86¼-⅛ |
| K. C. | 82½ | 81⅞ | 81⅞b | 82⅝-¾b |
| Minn. | 96⅝ | 96⅛ | 96⅛ | 96¾ |
| Winn. | 111¼ | 110 | 110 | 110⅞-11 |
| DECEMBER CORN. | | | | |
| Chi. | 59⅝ | 57¾ | 57⅞ | 59½ |
| K. C. | .... | .... | 55 | 55b |
| MAY CORN. | | | | |
| St. L. | .... | .... | 60a | 60⅜b |
| Chi. | 60 | 59⅜ | 59½-⅜ | 60¼-⅛ |
| K. C. | 57⅞ | 57¼ | 57¼b | 58a |
| JULY CORN. | | | | |
| Chi. | 60 | 59¼ | 59⅜-¼ | 60¼-60 |
| K. C. | .... | .... | 57½a | 58¼b |
| DECEMBER OATS. | | | | |
| Chi. | 32⅛ | 32 | 32⅛ | 32b |
| Minn. | .... | .... | 27⅞ | 27⅞ |
| Winn. | 47⅞ | 47⅝ | 47⅝ | 47⅝ |
| MAY OATS. | | | | |
| Chi. | 30½ | 30⅜ | 30½a | 30⅜b |
| JULY OATS. | | | | |
| Chi. | 29⅛ | 29 | 29b | 29⅛b |
| DECEMBER RYE. | | | | |
| Chi. | 69 | 68 | 68a | 69⅛ |
| MAY RYE. | | | | |
| Chi. | 70⅛ | 69 | 69b | 70⅛ |
| JULY RYE. | | | | |
| Chi. | 66¾ | 66 | 66b | 66⅞ |
| DECEMBER SOY BEANS. | | | | |
| Chi. | 94½ | 94¼ | 94¼ | 94⅝ |
| MAY SOYBEANS. | | | | |
| Chi. | .... | .... | 94½ | 94⅝ |
| JULY SOY BEANS. | | | | |
| Chi. | .... | .... | 95½ | 95¼b |

Open Grain Interest.

Opening grain futures prices at Chicago were as follows:

Wheat—Dec., 95⅝c; May, 92@92⅜c; July 86@86¼c. Corn—Dec., 59⅜c; May, 59⅞@60c; July 59⅞@60c. Oats—Dec., 32c; May, 30⅜c; July, 29⅛c. Soybeans—Dec., 94½c; May, 94½c; July, 95½c. Rye—Dec., 69c; May 70c; July 66⅜c.

ST. LOUIS MERCHANTS' EXCHANGE, Dec. 22.—Open contracts for future deliveries of May wheat as of Dec. 18 were 281,000 bushels and 5000 bushels of May corn.

Millfeed futures open contracts as of Dec. 24 were, bran 3100 tons and gray shorts 2100. Open contracts for Chicago deliveries were, bran 14,000 tons and standard middlings 3100.

## MILL FEED FUTURES MARKET

ST. LOUIS MERCHANTS' EXCHANGE, Dec. 22.—Millfeed futures closing price changes for local deliveries were: Standard bran, 30@70c higher; gray shorts, 5@40c higher. For Chicago deliveries: Standard bran, 30@60c higher; standard middlings, 25@40c higher. Sales totaled 1300 tons.

| | Close. | Prev. Close. |
|---|---|---|
| STANDARD BRAN. | | |
| December | 19.80b-20.40a | 19.60b-20.00a |
| *December | 20.75b-21.10a | 20.50b-20.80a |
| January | 20.45b-20.55a | 20.00 |
| *January | 21.15b-21.50a | 20.80b-21.00a |
| February | 20.50b-20.80a | 20.20b-20.35a |
| *February | 21.30b-21.75a | 21.15 |
| March | 20.65b-21.00a | 20.30b-20.50a |
| *March | 21.50b-21.80a | 21.15b-21.35a |
| April | 19.95b-20.40a | 19.40b-19.90a |
| *April | 20.85b-21.35a | 20.25b-20.75a |
| May | 19.00b-19.45a | 18.40b-18.90a |
| *May | †19.85b-19.90a | 19.25b-19.75a |
| GRAY SHORTS. | | |
| December | 20.00b-20.75a | 19.85b-20.50a |
| January | 20.25b-20.85a | 20.25b-20.75a |
| February | 20.90b-21.50a | 20.90b-21.40a |
| March | 21.75b-22.40a | 21.45b-21.90a |
| April | 22.00b-22.65a | 21.85b-22.35a |
| May | 22.00b-22.65a | 21.75b-22.50a |
| STANDARD MIDDLINGS. | | |
| *December | 21.00b-21.60a | 20.75b-21.35a |
| *January | 21.25b-22.00a | 21.10b-21.75a |
| *February | 21.50b-22.25a | 21.35b-22.00a |
| *March | 22.00b-22.75a | 21.75b-22.50a |
| *April | 22.25b-23.00a | 22.00b-22.75a |
| *May | 22.25b-23.00a | 22.00b-22.75a |

*Chicago deliveries. †Sales.

**Short Grain Trade Hours Friday.**

The St. Louis Merchants' Exchange will curtail trading Christmas eve and New Year's eve, closing both days at noon. The regular closing time is 1:15 p. m. The Chicago Board of Trade will also close at that time both days.

# NEW YORK BOND MARKET

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 22.—Total bond sales today on the New York Stock Exchange amounted to $8,733,150; compared with $9,369,025 yesterday, $7,469,200 a week ago and $13,806,000 a year ago. Total sales from Jan. 1 to date were $2,731,026,150, compared with $3,498,524,000 a year ago and $3,296,810,000 two years ago.

Following is a complete list of transactions, giving sales, high, low and closing prices:

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT BONDS.

| Year's High. | Year's Low. | SECURITY. | Sales. | High. | Low. | Close. | Net Ch'ge. | Closing Bid. | Closing Asked. | Yield. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Treasury. | | | | | | | | | | |
| 108-24 | 104-24 | 3¾ 43-41 Mar | 2 | 107-1 | 107-1 | 107-1 | +.2 | 106-28 | 107-00 | 1.16 |
| 10-24 | 104-24 | 3¼s 41 | 6 | 107-4 | 107-2 | 107-2 | +.1 | 106-31 | 107-2 | 1.24 |
| 110-18 | 104-28 | 3⅜s 47-43 | 2 | 107-14 | 107-14 | 107-14 | —.1 | 107-15 | 107-18 | 1.19 |
| 109-26 | 104-2 | 3¼s 45-43 | 1 | 107-8 | 107-8 | 107-8 | —.3 | 107-00 | 107-6 | 1.93 |
| 109-25 | 104-00 | 3¼s 46-44 | 22 | 107-7 | 107-00 | 107-00 | —.6 | 107-00 | 107-2 | 2.04 |
| 115-20 | 109-12 | 4s 54-44 | 22 | 112-4 | 112-1 | 112-1 | —.7 | 112-00 | 112-4 | 2.12 |
| 106-16 | 100-18 | 2¾s 47-45 | 87 | 103-27 | 103-20 | 103-21 | —.5 | 103-21 | 103-24 | 2.21 |
| 102-18 | 101-27 | 2½s 45 | 52 | 102-16 | 102-12 | 102-12 | —.6 | 102-8 | 102-11 | 2.18 |
| 107-30 | 102-10 | 3s 48-46 | 9 | 105-6 | 105-6 | 105-6 | —.4 | 105.2 | 105.6 | 2.32 |
| 108-24 | 102-20 | 3⅛s 49-46 | 3 | 105-23 | 105-23 | 105-23 | —.8 | 105-19 | 105-26 | 2.36 |
| 121-14 | 113-16 | 4¼s 52-47 | 40 | 116-24 | 116-24 | 116-24 | —.3 | 116-22 | 116-24 | 2.32 |
| 104-16 | 99-2 | 2¾s 51-48 | 3 | 101-28 | 101-28 | 101-28 | —.3 | 101-24 | 101-26 | 2.54 |
| 101-22 | 96-6 | 2½s 53-49 | 81 | 99-24 | 99-17 | 99-18 | —.8 | 99-17 | 99-19 | 2.53 |
| 103-17 | 98-4 | 2¾s 54-51 | 33 | 101-2 | 100-31 | 100-31 | —.7 | 100-26 | 100-31 | 2.66 |
| 106-28 | 101 | 3s 55-51 | 13 | 104-2 | 103-28 | 103-29 | —.6 | 103-25 | 103-28 | 2.66 |
| 104-30 | 99 | 2⅞s 60-55 | 23 | 102 | 101-25 | 101-26 | —.6 | 101-25 | 101-26 | 2.74 |
| 103-18 | 98 | 2¾s 59-56 | 2 | 101 | 101 | 101 | ... | 100-25 | 100-26 | 2.69 |
| Federal Farm Mortgage. | | | | | | | | | | |
| 105-23 | 101-8 | 3s 47-42 | 4 | 103-23 | 103-20 | 103-23 | +.3 | 103-18 | 103-25 | 2.02 |
| 106-10 | 101-7 | 3¼s 64-44 | 1 | 103-20 | 103-20 | 103-20 | +.4 | 103-18 | 103-26 | 2.58 |
| 105-17 | 100-11 | 3s 49-44 | 11 | 103-7 | 103-5 | 103-5 | —.2 | 103-4 | 103-5 | 2.46 |
| Home Owners' Loan. | | | | | | | | | | |
| 103-2 | 98-28 | 2¾s 49-39 | 5 | 101-10 | 101-10 | 101-10 | —.5 | 101-4 | 101-10 | 1.90 |
| 102-31 | 98-16 | 2¼s 44-42 | 10 | 100-29 | 100-29 | 100-29 | —.4 | 100-20 | 100-26 | 2.05 |
| 105-3 | 99-24 | 3s 52-44 | 6 | 103-7 | 103-2 | 103-2 | —.7 | 103 | 103-5 | 2.46 |

CORPORATION BONDS.

| SECURITY. | Sales. | High. | Low. | Close. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Alleghany 5s 44 | 9 | 74 | 73 | 73½ |
| Alleghany 5s 49 | 9 | 67½ | 67 | 67 |
| Alleg 5s 50 st* | 34 | 35 | 34½ | 34½ |
| Alleg Val 4s 42 | 4 | 107½ | 107½ | 107½ |
| Allis Chal 4s 52 | 43 | 103⅛ | 102¾ | 103⅛ |
| Am & For P 5 2030 | 56 | 59¼ | 58¾ | 58¾ |
| Am I G C 5½ 49 | 5 | 103⅝ | 103⅝ | 103⅝ |
| A T & T 5½ 43 | 3 | 113 | 112⅞ | 113 |
| A T & T 3¼s 66 | 27 | 101 | 100⅝ | 100⅞ |
| AT&T cv 4½ 39 | 11 | 100— | 100— | 100— |
| | | 3-32 | 1-16 | 1-16 |

CORPORATION BONDS.

| SECURITY. | Sales. | High. | Low. | Close. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Hud & M rf 5 57 | 5 | 53 | 52½ | 52¾ |
| do inc 5 57** | 11 | 18⅝ | 18⅛ | 18⅝ |
| Illinois Stl 4½ 40 | 1 | 106⅛ | 106⅛ | 106⅛ |
| I C & C S L & N O 5 63 A | 13 | 46⅝ | 46¼ | 46¼ |
| do 4½ 63 | 11 | 43⅝ | 43¼ | 43⅝ |
| Inland S 3¾s 61 | 3 | 104½ | 104½ | 104½ |
| Int R T 7s 32†* | 7 | 53¾ | 53 | 53 |
| do 7s 32 ct†* | 1 | 53 | 53 | 53 |
| do 6s 32 †* | 11 | 16½ | 16 | 16 |
| Inter R Tr rfg 5s66 | 29 | 50½ | 49 | 49 |

CORPORATION BONDS.

| SECURITY. | Sales. | High. | Low. | Close. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Rio G West 1st4 39* | 5 | 45½ | 45½ | 45½ |
| do clt 4 49* | 11 | 21⅛ | 20⅞ | 21⅛ |
| RIA & La 4½ 34†* | 7 | 9⅝ | 9⅛ | 9⅛ |
| Rutland 4½ 41 st. | 2 | 10⅝ | 10⅝ | 10⅝ |
| Safeway Strs 4 47 | 10 | 101⅝ | 101⅝ | 101⅝ |
| SLIM&S4R&G 33*† | 19 | 65 | 64½ | 65 |
| St L S F 5 50 B* | 16 | 15⅛ | 14⅝ | 14⅝ |
| do 5s 50 ct * | 1 | 13⅝ | 13⅝ | 13⅝ |
| do 4½ 78* | 110 | 13 | 12½ | 12½ |
| do 4½78 ctf st* | 31 | 11½ | 11 | 11 |
| do 4s 50 A * | 81 | 15½ | 14 | 14½ |
| do 4s 50 A ct* | 12 | 13⅝ | 12½ | 12½ |
| St L SW 5 52*† | 1 | 25 | 25 | 25 |
| do rfg 5s 90 * | 16 | 18⅛ | 18⅛ | 18¼ |
| do 1st 4 89 | 1 | 68¼ | 68¼ | 68¼ |
| do 2d 4 89* | 1 | 32½ | 32½ | 32½ |
| St P &KCSL4½41* | 4 | 9¼ | 9¼ | 9¼ |
| St P Un Dep 5 72 | 1 | 117⅞ | 117⅞ | 117⅞ |
| SA & APass 4 43 | 15 | 81½ | 80⅞ | 80⅞ |
| Seab AL con 6 45 * | 77 | 9¼ | 8⅝ | 8⅝ |
| do 6 45 ct * | 10 | 8¼ | 8 | 8¼ |
| do aj 5 49 * | 3 | 4¼ | 4 | 4 |
| do 4 50 st * | 3 | 18⅝ | 17 | 17 |
| do rfg 59 †* | 2 | 8¼ | 8¼ | 8¼ |
| Sea-AF 6 35 A ct * | 6 | 4½ | 4⅛ | 4⅜ |
| Shell Un 3½ 51 | 30 | 98⅝ | 98½ | 98⅝ |
| Silesian Am 7 41 | 3 | 77⅝ | 77½ | 77½ |
| Simmons 4 52 | 2 | 83 | 83 | 83 |
| Skelly Oil 4 51 | 1 | 96 | 96 | 96 |
| So Cal Gas 4½ 61 | 2 | 107⅝ | 107 | 107⅝ |
| So Cal Gas 4 65 | 5 | 107 | 107 | 107 |
| Sou Nat Gas 4½ 51 | 1 | 96 | 96 | 96 |
| South Ry 6½s 56 | 4 | 70 | 70 | 70 |
| do gen 6 56 | 3 | 67½ | 67½ | 67½ |
| do con 5 94 | 12 | 87½ | 87 | 87 |
| do gen 4 56 | 26 | 54½ | 53½ | 53½ |
| Sou Pac 4½ 68 | 17 | 64⅝ | 63½ | 63½ |
| do 4½ 81 | 38 | 64 | 63 | 63½ |
| do 4½ 69 | 57 | 64¼ | 63½ | 63½ |
| do rfg 4 55 | 43 | 94⅝ | 93⅝ | 93⅝ |
| do clt 4 49 | 19 | 70 | 69⅝ | 70 |
| do 3¾ 46 | 26 | 84⅝ | 84¼ | 84¼ |
| do 4½ Ore 77 | 53 | 74½ | 73⅝ | 74½ |
| SouRy 4 M&O 38 | 10 | 83 | 82 | 83 |
| SWBellTel 3½ 64 | 2 | 107½ | 107½ | 107½ |
| SW Gas&El 4 60 | 8 | 102⅝ | 102½ | 102½ |
| Staley Mfg 4 46 | 26 | 102¼ | 102 | 102 |
| Stand O NJ 3 61 | 28 | 100 | 99⅝ | 99¾ |
| Studebak 6 cv 45 | 21 | 62⅝ | 61⅞ | 61⅞ |
| Swift&Co 3¾s 50 | 2 | 105⅝ | 105⅝ | 105⅝ |
| Ten El Po 6s 47A | 2 | 86 | 86 | 86 |
| TRRAStL 4s 53 | 1 | 109 | 109 | 109 |
| Texark FS 5½ 50 | 2 | 84 | 84 | 84 |
| Tex Corp 3½s 51 | 3 | 105¼ | 105¼ | 105¼ |
| TexP 1st 5s 2000 | 10 | 115⅝ | 115⅝ | 115⅝ |

*Selling flat on account of default. **Selling flat for reasons other than default. †Matured bonds, negotiability impaired pending investigation.

Quotations on all United States Government bonds are in dollars and thirty-seconds of a dollar. That is, for instance, a sale printed 99-24 means $99 and 24 thirty-seconds of a dollar.

Symbols: xin-Ex-interest. ct-Certificates.

# SALES OF U. S. BONDS DEPRESS MARKET

## Evening Up Portfolios for Year End Accounting Is Suggested as Cause.

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 22.—Sizable offerings of U. S. Governments obligations, depressing the market as much as one-eighth of a point, brought a generally lower trend to the bond market today.

Dealers reported a considerable amount of business in the Government division was for the purpose of evening up portfolios for year-end accounting purposes. Closing quotations were around the lows for the day.

Elsewhere losses were in the majority. On the offside were Western Union 5s at 63½, Southern Pacific 4½s at 63½, International Telephone 5s at 64¾, Allegheny 5s at 34½ and Erie 5s at 48. A few gainers included New Haven 6s, McKesson & Robbins 5½s and Goodyear 5s.

Foreign bonds were mostly lower.

## ENGINEERING CONSTRUCTION AWARD FOR THE WEEK

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 22.—Public engineering construction awards for the past week were 85 per cent higher than a year ago, and highest since July 23, 1936, Engineering News-Record said today.

Private awards were 54 per cent below the 1936 week and the total awards 9 per cent under. The figures compared as follows:

| | 1937 Week. | 1936 Week. |
|---|---|---|
| Private | $15,493,000 | $33,657,000 |
| Federal | 9,112,000 | 2,062,000 |
| State and Municipal | 20,869,000 | 14,137,000 |
| Total public | 29,981,000 | 16,199,000 |
| Total awards | 45,474,000 | 49,856,000 |

## WIDE RISE IN OIL OUTPUT

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 22.—Crude oil production and gasoline inventories continued to rise in the week ended Dec. 18, the latter reporting the widest gain ever made at this season of the year.

The flow of finished and unfinished gasoline into storage totaled 2,775,000 barrels during the period, bringing aggregate stocks to 73,288,000 barrels.

The big increase, oil men said, stemmed largely from the factt fuel demands have picked up sharply in recen years, which automatically boosts gasoline output.

Crude production was stepped up unseasonally to 3,439,850 barrels, an increase of 25,400 barrels over the previous week.

Refineries operated at slightly higher rate, running 3,220,000 barrels to stills compared with 3,200,000 barrels a week ago.

Cracked gasoline output dipped to 725,000 barrels, down 10,000 barrels. Imports of crude and refined oils fell from 1,282,000 barrels to 982,000 barrels.

## HIDE PRICES ADVANCE

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 22.—March bids futures continued to rise today on a basis of spot sales chiefly in the West.

March futures sold around 11.40 cents a pound, an increase of around 19 points over last night's close and around 339 points over the year's low a month ago.

Chief stimulating factors were reports of sales of 80,000 spot hides on the Coast at 12 cents for steers and 9 cents for cows.

Chicago packers were reported to have refused today correspondingly big bids from large Eastern manufacturers on a basis of 11 cents for light native cows.

Japanese interests were among local reported spot buyers.

## CARLOADINGS

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 22.—Revenue freight carloadings on railroads reporting today for the week ended Dec. 18 included:

| | Dec. 18. | Prev. Week. | Year Ago. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Ches & Ohio | 27,882 | 28,708 | 34,092 |
| Chgo & N Wstn | 24,152 | 23,694 | 28,332 |
| N Y Central | 73,996 | 71,471 | 91,027 |
| Nickel Plate | 13,704 | 12,538 | 16,863 |
| Norfolk & Wstn | 21,912 | 22,291 | 28,174 |
| Pennsylvania | 85,146 | 82,666 | 110,196 |
| Pere Marq | 11,075 | 10,354 | 13,509 |

**New York Sugar.**

NEW YORK, Dec. 22.—Raw sugar was unchanged early today at 3.20 for spots. No sales were reported. There was a good refiner interest at this level but holders were asking 3.25.

Futures were less active and price movements narrow. The undertone was a little easier. January No. 3 sold at 2.25 and July at 2.31, or unchanged to one point net lower, while January No. 4 sold at 1.14½ and March 1.16½, or net unchanged to ½ point lower.

Refined was unchanged at 4.65@4.85 for fine granulated, with only a moderate inquiry reported.

Futures No. 3 closed 4 lower to 1 higher. Sales 7250 tons.

| | High. | Low. | Last. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Jan. | 2.27 | 2.25 | 2.26b |
| March | 2.29 | 2.28 | 2.29b |
| May | 2.30 | 2.29 | 2.30b |
| July | 2.31 | 2.31 | 2.31b |

b—Bid.

**New York Coffee.**

NEW YORK, Dec. 22.—Coffee, spot steady Wednesday; Rio No. 7, 6¼n; Santos No. 4, 8⅝n; cost and freight offerings included Santos bourbon 3s and 5s at 6.85@7.10.

Rio No. 7 "A" futures closed 5 lower to 7 higher.

Sales 4500 bags.

| | High. | Low. | Close. |
|---|---|---|---|
| December | 4.91 | 4.90 | 4.95b |
| March | 4.48 | 4.48 | 4.43n |
| May | 4.30 | 4.30 | 4.31n |
| July | 4.24 | 4.21 | 4.22n |
| Santos No. 4 "R" futures closed unchanged to 11 higher. Sales 33,250 bags. | | | |
| December | 7.75 | 7.75 | 7.75n |
| March | 6.40 | 6.30 | 6.41n |
| May | 6.21 | 6.19 | 6.20b |
| July | 6.19 | 6.13 | 6.13b |

bBid. nNominal.

**Tobacco Mostly $30.**

By the Associated Press.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Dec. 22.—An average near the $30 mark was indicated today on the Lexington burley market, in its final day of the 1937 selling season. Bidding was fast and a large volume of burley moved over the floors. Forty dollars per 100 was the top bid of the forenoon.

After the sales today, the sales will close until Jan. 3.

**1,229,000,000 More Cigarettes Used.**

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22.—The United States consumed 1,229,000,000 more cigarettes last month than in November a year ago.

The Internal Revenue Bureau reported November consumption today as 12,786,000,000 compared to 11,557,000,000 in the corresponding 1936 month.

Federal revenue derived from cigarettes totaled $38,362,000 last month against $34,673,000 in November, 1936.

**Cocoa Futures.**

NEW YORK, Dec. 22.—Cocoa futures closed 1 to 4 higher Wednesday. Sales, 5440 tons.

| | High. | Low. | Close. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Dec. | 5.02 | 4.89 | 5.02 |
| Mar. | 5.14 | 4.97 | 5.14 |
| May | 5.20 | 5.03 | 5.21n |
| July | 5.25 | 5.14 | 5.30n |

# COTTON GRADES LOWER THAN QUALITY YEAR AGO

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22.—The Bureau of Agricultural Economics reported today that the portion of this year's cotton crop ginned up to December averaged lower in grade and staple than cotton ginned prior to that date last year.

Ginnings to Dec. 1 totaled 16,177,300 bales, which comprised the bulk of this year's estimated yield of 18,746,000 bales.

The bureau said that about 20 per cent of the 1937 ginnings were white strict middling and above in grade, compared with 26 per cent last year. Both this year and last, 29 per cent was of white middling. Thirty per cent of this year's ginnings were of white strict low middling or below in quality compared with 24 per cent last year.

Cotton of spotted grades constituted about 21 per cent both years.

Staple lengths were reported as follows: shorter than ⅞ inch, about 10 per cent both years; between ⅞ and 31-32 inch, 57 per cent this year and 48 last year; between 1 and 1⅛ inches, 27 per cent this year and 35 per cent last year; longer than 1⅛ inch, 5.5 per cent this year and 7.6 last year.

The bureau said that 87 per cent of this year's ginned cotton was eligible for trading contracts. The percentage was 88 per cent last year.

## COTTON MARKET CLOSES 3 TO 6 POINTS LOWER

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 22.—Recent gains in cotton attracted profit-taking and Southern and foreign selling today, causing declines.

March eased to 8.31 but recovered partially and in midafternoon sold at 8.35. Prices generally were 6 to 9 points net lower.

Cotton futures opened 7 to 11 points off on lower cables and increased Southern hedge selling.

January opened 8.22, March 8.33, May 8.42, July 8.47, Oct. 8.53, Dec. 8.58.

Foreign interests were also sellers on balance. Liquidation increased in the first hour and prices reacted a few points further before there was enough buying to bring partial recoveries.

March went fom 8.31 to 8.35, leaving the list 6 to 10 points net lower.

Bombay and Egyptian cotton also were easier.

Prices ruled about steady later in the morning, although only partial recoveries from initial losses were registered. Liverpool was a buyer.

March was selling at 8.36 around midday, when prices generally were 5 to 7 points net lower.

Futures closed 3 to 6 lower.

| | High. | Low. | Last. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Jan. | 8.26 | 8.19 | 8.26 |
| Mch. | 8.39 | 8.31 | 8.38-39 |
| May | 8.46 | 8.38 | 8.46 |
| July | 8.50 | 8.43 | 8.50 |
| Oct. | 8.60 | 8.52 | 8.58-60 |
| Dec. | 8.61 | 8.56 | 8.61 |

Spot steady; middling 8.48.

## FOREIGN EXCHANGE

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 22.—Foreign exchange steady (Great Britain in dollars, others in cents): Great Britain demand 4.99⅞; cables, 4.99⅞; 60-day bills, 4.99¼; France demand 3.39⅝; cables 3.39⅝; Italy demand 5.26½; cables 5.26½. Demands: Belgium, 16.98½; Germany, free 40.30½, registered 21.50, travel 25.85; Holland, 55.60½; Norway, 25.12; Sweden, 25.77; Denmark, 22.32; Finland, 2.22; Switzerland, 23.14¼; Spain unquoted; Portugal, 4.54½; Greece, .92¼; Poland, 18.98; Czechoslovakia, 3.51¼; Yugoslavia, 2.35; Austria, 18.93n; Hungary, 19.90; Rumania, .75; Argentina, 33.32n; Brazil (free) 5.55n; Tokio, 29.11; Shanghai, 29.60; Hongkong, 31.29; Mexico City, 27.80; Montreal in New York, 99.89 1-16; New York in Montreal, 100.10 15-16.

Sterling, at mid-afternoon, was unchanged at 4.99⅞ and the French franc was off .00⅛ of a cent at 3.39⅝.

NEW YORK, Dec. 22.—Leading European currencies fluctuated irregularly in forenoon today in terms of the dollar.

In New York the French franc lost .00⅛ of a cent at 3.39⅝ cents and the belga dropped .01½ of a cent to 16.98½ cents. The pound sterling was unchanged at $4.99⅞. The Swiss franc rose .01¼ of a cent to 23.14¼ cents and the Holland guilder advanced .00⅛ of a cent to 55.60½ cents.

The American unit in London finished unchanged at 4.99 13-16. In Paris it closed at the equivalent of 3.396 cents to the franc, compared with an overnight New York rate of 3.397 cents.

PARIS, Dec. 22.—United States dollars were 29.45 francs (3.396 cents to the franc) in final trading today compared with the franc at 3.397 cents in New York overnight. Exchange on London 147.20.

Three per cent rentes were 69 francs 45 centimes on the Bourse; 4½s "A" 75.40; 4½s 1937, 102.50.

LONDON, Dec. 22.—The United States dollar closed net unchanged at 4.99 13-16 to the pound today. In comparison, the pound sterling in New York over night was $4.99⅞.

French francs ended 147.19 the pound against 147.12 yesterday.

## BAR GOLD, SILVER AND MONEY

The St. Louis Clearing House Association reported clearings for Dec. 22, 1937, $18,000,000; corresponding day last year, $16,400,000; this year, $4,699,800,000; corresponding period last year, $4,393,500,000. Report of debits for Dec. 21, 1937: Debits to individual accounts, $23,100,000; total to date, $7,095,900,000; debits to banks and bankers' accounts, $7,800,000; total to date, $3,420,000,000; combined debits to individual and banks and bankers' accounts, $30,900,000; debits to date, $10,515,900,000.

NEW YORK, Dec. 22.—Bar silver, 44¾, unchanged.

NEW YORK, Dec. 22.—Call money steady; 1 per cent all day; price commercial paper, 1 per cent; time loans steady; 60-90 days, 1¼; 4-6 months, 1½ per cent; bankers' acceptances unchanged; rediscount rate, New York Reserve Bank, 1 per cent.

LONDON, Dec. 22.—Bar gold declined 1 penny at 139s 8d. (Sterling price equivalent to $34.90).

LONDON, Dec. 22.—Bar silver 3-16 lower at 18 11-16d. (Sterling equivalent 42.03 cents.)

LONDON, Dec. 22.—Money ½ per cent. Discount rates: short bills 11-16@¾ per cent; 3-month bills, 11-16.

MONTREAL, Dec. 22.—Silver futures opened unchanged to 30 points off. Bids: December, 41.70; March, 40.60; May, 40.85.

MONTREAL, Dec. 22.—Silver futures closed unchanged to 2.09 points off. No sales. Bids: December, 41.70; March, 40.60; May, 41.05.

## TURPENTINE, FLAX, LINSEED OIL

Linseed oil in one to four barrel lots was quoted at 11.6c per lb. for raw and 12c per lb. for boiled. Half drums, .06c more.

DULUTH, Dec. 22.—Flaxseed closed unchanged to ½c lower. December, $2; May, $1.99; Cash, $2.20@2.12. No. 1 Northwestern at Chicago down 1c at $2.12@2.19.

## NEW YORK RUBBER MARKET

NEW YORK, Dec. 22.—Crude rubber futures opened 1 to 7 higher. March, 15.47; May, 15.55b; July, 15.69@15.70.

Crude rubber futures closed 9 to 16 lower. Sales No. 1 standard, 81 contracts.

| | High. | Low. | Close. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Mar. | 15.47 | 15.29 | 15.29 |
| May | 15.57 | 15.38 | 15.38-40 |
| July | 15.70 | 15.60 | 15.48b |

Smoked ribbed spot, 15.09n.

## SECURITIES INVESTMENT CO. VOTES EXTRA $1.50 A SHARE

### Quarterly of 50 Cents Also Declared by the Directors.

Securities Investment directors declared an extra dividend of $1.50 a share and the quarterly of 50 cents on the common stock, both payable Dec. 27 to stockholders of record Dec. 24. The payment will make a total of $5.50 a share disbursed on the common this year. A total of $5 a share was paid in 1936.

The board also voted the regular quarterly dividend of $1.25 a share in the preferred stock payable Jan. 2 to stockholders of record Dec. 24.

# EARNINGS AND DIVIDENDS

Orders, factory productions and other business items.

By Standard Statistics Co., Inc.

NEW YORK, Dec. 22.

Comparison in earnings with corresponding period previous year. In sales statements, see detailed reports for changes in number of stores, if any, on comparative rates.

PAPER AND PAPER PRODUCTS.

ABITIBI POWER & PAPER CO., LTD.—Earning of company for 11 months ended Nov. 30, 1937, amounted to $4,402,452 before depreciation, bond interest and income taxes, against $1,935,247 in same period of 1936.

WEST VIRGINIA PULP & PAPER CO.—Declared 10 cents common dividend, payable Jan. 3, 1938, to holders of records Dec. 21, 1937. On Oct. 1, 1937, 20 cents was paid.

RAILROAD & RAILROAD EQUIPMENT.

BANGOR & AROOSTOCK R. R.—Common share earnings, 11 months ended Nov. 30, were $3.86 against $2.77.

CHICAGO, ROCK ISLAND & PACIFIC RY.—Deficit, 10 months ended Oct. 31, was $8,849,361 against deficit of $13,069,425.

NORFOLK & WESTERN RY.—Common share earnings, 11 months ended Nov. 30, were $20.18 against $20.58.

ST. LOUIS-SAN FRANCISCO RY.—Deficit, 10 months ended Oct. 31, was $5,749,922 against deficit of $6,302,741. Federal Judge Moore, St. Louis, approved in full a $3,464,336 emergency improvement budget for this railroad in 1938.

UNION PACIFIC R. R.—November net railway operating income was $3,067,312 against $3,377,128. In 11 months net railway operating income was $20,570,438 against $2,177,601.

CHESAPEAKE & OHIO RY.—Common share earnings after sinking fund charges, 11 months ended Nov. 30, were $4 against $5.02.

CHICAGO & NORTH WESTERN RY.—Chairman of R F C has agreed to accept treatment accorded to R F C in the plan of reorganization for this company advanced by Insurance Group Committee headed by F. W. Walker.

WABASH RAILWAY CO.—Company's receivers will pay 80 per cent of the interest due Jan. 1, 1938, on the following bond issues of Wabash Railroad Co., predecessor, first lien Terminal 4s, Detroit and Chicago extension first 5s and Des Moines division first 4s.

UTILITIES.

BROOKLYN-MANHATTAN TRANSIT CORPORATION—Net income before minority interest, 5 months ended Nov. 30, was $496,502 against $2,002,239.

BROOKLYN & QUEENS TRANSIT CORPORATION—Deficit, 5 months ended Nov. 30, was $26,942 against net income of $244,419.

LOUISVILLE GAS & ELECTRIC CO. DEL.—Class B share earnings, 12 months ended Oct. 31, were $1.65 against $2.01.

MOUNTAIN STATES POWER CO.—Federal Power Commisison denied application of company for authorization to issue $8,600,000 first mortgage bonds and $700,000 unsecured serial notes to refund the company's indebtedness. Commisison said that reorganization under bankruptcy act would cost less than proposed plan. Registration statement filed with the S E C to cover the issue became effective last week. In view of heavy refunding expenses, discount and short term of proposed new issues actual rate of interest which applicant would be required to pay on proposed issues would be in excess of 7½ per cent a year, it was said.

COMMONWEALTH & SOUTHERN CORP.—Common share earnings, 11 months ended Nov. 30, were 17 cents against 10 cents. Electric output of system in November decreased 1.8 per cent under Nov. 1936. In 11 months an increase of 11.1 per cent was shown, while in 12 months ended Nov. 30, 1937, gain was 12 per cent. Gas output of system in November increased 9.4 per cent over Nov., 1936. In 11 months gain was 13.9 per cent, while in 12 months ended Nov. 3, 1937, an increase of 14.5 per cent was shown.

CONSOLIDATED EDISON CO. OF NEW YORK, INC.—Company filed suits in Supreme Court, New York, to recover $2,350,000 paid to the city under protest as additional assessments under the emergency relief laws of 1933 and 1934. Nearly $1,500,000 of the total represented taxes, the remainder penalties fo delay in payment.

WESTERN UNION TELEGRAPH CO.—New York Public Service Commission authorized company to issue $8,500,000 of notes to be purchased by New York banks to meet the payment and discharge of collateral trust 5 per cent bonds due Jan. 1, 1938. Under an agreement tentatively entered into between company and Chase National Bank and Central Hanover Bank & Trust Co. last June, Chase will take $5,500,000 of the issue and Central Hanover $3,000,000.

ADVERTISING, PRINTING AND PUBLISHING.

CUNEO PRESS, INC.—Declared $1.25 extra common dividend, payable Dec. 31 to holders of record Dec. 21, 1937, at option of stockholder, in cash or in stock at rate of 1-20th share of common for each share held.

AIRCRAFT.

CURTISS-WRIGHT CORP.—New York City's complete purchase of North Beach Airport in Queens by payment of $1,300,000 to this corporation.

AUTOMOBILES AND TRUCKS.

FORD MOTOR CO.—Company's assemblies are to continue at 4000-car daily rate, five days a week, through January.

PIERCE-ARROW MOTOR CORP.—Company filed a petition seeking permission to reorganize under Section 77B of Bankruptcy Act in Federal Court, Buffalo. President stated the action was taken for the purpose of preserving the status quo until the company's plans for reorganization can be successfully consummated.

CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS.

NEWPORT INDUSTRIES, INC.—Directors of company took no action on dividend payable in January. Directors' decision was arrived at after considering the uncertainties of the business outlook and the pronounced reduction in the demand and price of rosin, one of the company's principal products.

COAL AND COKE.

ISLAND CREEK COAL CO.—Declared 50 cents common dividend, payable Dec. 29 to holders of record Dec. 24, 1937. On Oct. 1, 1937, 50 cents was paid.

POND CREEK POCAHONTAS CO.—Directors of company took no action on the dividend that normally would be payable on Jan. 1, 1938. Company paid 50 cents quarterly since the first of 1935. It was said earnings of company for 1937 were subnormal, due to general confusion prevailing throughout the industry, and that it was deemed best to defer dividend action until the situation became clarified.

PAPER & PAPER PRODUCTS.

SCOTT PAPER CO.—Company during current week will place in operation a seventh paper machine in its Chester plant, increasing productive capacity by 16 per cent.

STEEL AND IRON.

UNITED STATES STEEL CORP.—Ingot production at plants of subsidiaries in week ended Dec. 20 was estimated at 26½ per cent of capacity, compared with 29 per cent in preceding week and 33 per cent two weeks ago.

## NO NEW C. & O. HEAD NAMED

By the Associated Press.

CLEVELAND, Dec. 22.—Directors of the Chesapeake & Ohio Railroad, meeting here, announced they took no action upon the selection of a successor to President W. J. Harahan, who died Dec. 14.

The next regular meeting of the board is Jan. 18. Harahan also was president of the Pere Marquette Railroad, owned by the C. & O., and of the Nickel Plate Railroad.

Chesapeake & Ohio reported November net income of $2,111,970.13, after all charges, a decrease of $2,526,557.28 from the corresponding month last year. This brought 11-month net income to $31,217,191.35, or $7,791,068.20 under the corresponding period of 1936.

**Steel Executive Moves Up.**

CLEVELAND, Dec. 22.—The American Steel & Wire Co., announced C. F. Blackmer had resigned as president effective Jan. 1. C. F. Hood, executive vice-president, was elected to succeed him.

Blackmer has served almost 40 years with the steel company and one of its predecessors, the Washburn Moen Mfg. Co. He was elected president in 1933.

Hood, who moved up through the ranks from foreman, recently was elected a director of United States Steel Corporation of Delaware. He is 43; Blackmer 58.

**Rail Orders Placed.**

CLEVELAND, Dec. 22.—The American Ohio Railroad directors announced today they had authorized purchase of 27,500 tons of new 131-pound steel rails.

Directors of Pere Marquette Railroad, C. & O. subsidiary, authorized purchase of 3550 tons of 112-pound rails for United States lines and 3350 tons of 105-pound rails for Canadian lines.

# THIRD SILVER PRICE QUOTED IN NEW YORK

## New Basis for Consumers in Arts and Industry as U. S. Policy Is Awaited.

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 22.—A new price for silver was quoted today to consumers in the arts and industry as mining men waited for an expected year-end announcement of the U. S. Government's policy on purchases of newly mined metal from domestic mines.

For transactions with the arts and industrial users, Handy & Harman, bullion dealers, set a price of 42⅝ cents an ounce for imported metals, based on the London open market price around 42 cents.

This made three quotations for the metal in this country. Supported by a Treasury "peg," the New York price for imported silver remained at 44¾ while the Government prices for newly mined offerings was approximately 77½ cents.

Heavy selling in foreign markets recently, attributed mainly to uncertainty over what the United States would do at the end of this year and to increased offerings from the Far East, broke the world price at London to around 41 cents.

Since then there has been some recovery in the London price, but the remaining disparity was wide enough to prompt Handy & Harman to adopt what the firm designated as an "industrial base price," figured on the London quotation. The firm indicated it would continue to quote the industrial basis as long as the disparity exists.

Under a four-year international agreement, which expires at the end of this year, the Treasury has been paying domestic producers a large premium, now amounting to about 35 cents over the London open-market quotation. Treasury authorities have indicated the policy of paying a premium for newly mined metal would be continued, but gave no indication what the price would be.

The main support of the world market since the passage of the Silver Purchase Act in 1934, the Treasury has been a big buyer of foreign metal the last few years. Until recently, the London price had fluctuated rather closely around the New York price for imported metal, based on the Treasury's support.

Handy & Harman explained the wide spread between their newly quoted price and the Government buying price for imported metal reflected in part the expense involved in melting and treating metal purchased abroad to meet the Government's requirements.

## VALUE OF NOVEMBER STOCK SALES 47.2 PCT. UNDER 1936

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22.—The dollar value of sales on all registered securities exchanges dropped sharply in November, the Securities Commission reported.

The November total was $1,490,044,243, a decrease of 25.8 per cent from October and 47.2 per cent off from November, 1936.

Stock sales, including rights and warrants, had a value of $1,339,666,114, a decrease of 26.7 per cent from October. Bond sales were valued at $150,360,866, a decrease of 17.2 per cent from October.

Total stock sales, including rights and warrants, in November were 59,062,055 shares or 34.9 per cent under October. Total principal amount of bonds sold was $223,973,235, a decrease of 16.5 per cent from October.

The two leading New York exchanges, accounted for 96.5 per cent of the value of all sales on registered exchanges, 96.1 per cent of stock sales and 99.9 per cent of bond sales.

**Boston Wool Market.**

By the Associated Press.

BOSTON, Dec. 22.—(U. S. Department of Agriculture)—Fleece wools were receiving inquiry Wednesday on the Boston market but only a few sales were being closed. Country-packed lots of Ohio wools containing ⅜ and quarter-blood grades have been sold at .30 to .32 in the grease, delivered east. Spot graded quarter-blood Ohio fleeces have been sold from .30 to .32 in the grease although some houses were turning down goods within this range. Fine delaine Ohio wools were being offered at .31 to .32 in the grease and staple combing lengths half-blood Ohio fleeces were available at .32 to .33 in the grease.

## UNITS' QUOTATIONS

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 22.—In the following tables will be found the quoted range of prices within which dealers in particular issues are reported willing to trade in the units of their respective issues:

| | Bid. | Asked. |
|---|---|---|
| Admin Fd 2d Inc | 12.47 | 13.27 |
| Affiliated F Inc | 4.42 | 4.86 |
| Am Business Shrs | .72 | .80 |
| Boston Fund Inc | 16.46 | 17.60 |
| Bullock Fund | 13.875 | 15.00 |
| Can Inv Fund | 3.60 | 4.00 |
| Century Shrs Tr | 19.94 | 21.41 |
| Corporate Trust | 2.28 | ..... |
| Corporate Trust A A | 2.18 | ..... |
| Corp Tr A A mod | 2.69 | ..... |
| Corp Tr Accum Ser | 2.18 | ..... |
| Corp Tr Acc Mod | 2.69 | ..... |
| Cumulative Tr Sh | 4.74 | ..... |
| Diversified Tr C | 3.60 | ..... |
| Diversified Tr D | 5.35 | 5.95 |
| Dividend Shrs | 1.26 | 1.36 |
| Fund Investors Inc | 16.39 | 17.42 |
| Fund Tr Shrs A | 4.79 | 5.38 |
| Fund Tr Shrs B | 4.37 | ..... |
| Gen Investors Tr | 4.79 | 5.21 |
| Group Sec Agriculture | 1.20 | 1.31 |
| Group Sec Automobile | .77 | .85 |
| Group Sec Building | 1.27 | 1.38 |
| Group Sec Chemical | 1.18 | 1.29 |
| Group Sec Food | .73 | .81 |
| Group Sec Invest Shrs | .70 | .77 |
| Group Sec Merchandise | .85 | .93 |
| Group Sec Mining | 1.17 | 1.28 |
| Group Sec Petroleum | 1.05 | 1.15 |
| Group Sec R R Equip | .84 | .92 |
| Group Sec Steel | 1.23 | 1.34 |
| Group Sec Tobacco | .89 | .98 |
| Incorp Investors | 16.86 | 18.13 |
| Maryland Fund | 6.09 | 6.68 |
| Mass Invest Trust | 20.09 | 21.32 |
| Nation Wide Voting | 1.29 | 1.42 |
| New England Fund | 12.63 | 13.58 |
| Nor Am Trust Shares 1953 | 2.14 | .... |
| Nor A Trust Shares 1955 | 2.64 | .... |
| Nor Am Trust Shares 1956 | 2.59 | .... |
| Nor Am Trust Shares 1958 | 2.39 | .... |
| Quarterly Income Shares | 11.10 | 12.16 |
| Repres Trust Shares | 9.65 | 10.15 |
| Repub Invest Fund | .36 | .41 |
| Selected Am Sh Inc | 9.46 | 10.31 |
| State Street Invest | 81.00 | 84.00 |
| Super of Am Trust A | 3.07 | .... |
| Super of Am Trust A A | 2.10 | .... |
| Super of Am Trust B | 3.19 | .... |
| Super of Am Trust B B | 2.10 | .... |
| Super of Am Trust C | 5.86 | .... |
| Super of Am Trust D | 5.86 | .... |
| Supervised Shares | 9.63 | 10.47 |
| Trustee St Inv C | 2.34 | .... |
| Trustee St Inv D | 2.29 | .... |
| Trustee St Oil Shares A | 6.45 | .... |
| Trustee St Oil Shares B | 5.65 | .... |
| Trusteed A Bk "B" | .59 | .67 |
| Trusteed Industry Shares | .96 | 1.05 |
| U S E L & Pow "A" | 13.00 | 13.50 |
| U S E L & Pow "B" | 1.98 | 2.08 |
| U S E L & Pow Voting | .91 | .99 |
| Wellington Fund | 13.06 | 14.32 |

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## Bishop M. Crawford Tells How He Frittered Away Proceeds of Sayman Award.

Bishop M. Crawford, real estate salesman and a former champion trapshooter, spent several hours yesterday in Bankruptcy Court explaining how he frittered away, within four months, the $11,000 he netted last December from his $200,000 slander suit against the late Thomas M. Sayman, multimillionaire soap and patent medicine manufacturer.

Some of the money was used to pay debts, some went for a holiday trip to Texas and Arkansas; a "lot" was lost gambling and the rest was spent at the rate of $200 to $300 a day, for a short time, in buying liquor for St. Louis sportsmen in connection with his attempts to organize the Crow Hunters' Association, he testified.

Although he obtained a judgment for $39,501 against Sayman, Crawford said the case was settled Dec. 2, 1936, for $30,000. After paying attorneys' fees, expenses and clearing away a few garnishments, he had $11,000 left. He then started on his spending spree, and by last March 10 was broke. Things continued bad for him. On Oct. 2 three creditors filed a petition in bankruptcy against him, and Oct. 25 he was adjudicated bankrupt.

### $3000 in Two Weeks.

In response to questions by David K. Breed, trustee of Crawford's bankrupt estate, the witness testified he cashed $3000 in cashier's checks within two weeks after receiving his share of the settlement. Some was paid on bills and $500 was used to pay off a loan on his wife's jewelry, he said.

Later he decided to take a trip to Texas during the Christmas holidays, and visited Houston and Corpus Christi. On his return to St. Louis he stopped for several days at Hot Springs, Ark., where he lost "more than $2000" gambling at a notorious casino, he testified.

Crawford said he returned to St. Louis Jan. 10 with about $5000, and continued his gambling here and on the East Side, winning sometimes and losing sometimes. It was about this time that he became interested in organizing the Crow Hunting Association, which, when finally formed, announced its purpose was to "promote, foster and sponsor shooting and destroying of crows which are deemed by this organization as one of the forces most dangerous to wildlife."

The witness, who was elected president of the association at its first meeting Feb. 9, said he entertained sportsmen at hotel bars and taverns in connection with the promotion of the club. Asked what he expected to get out of the organization, Crawford replied he expected nothing, but that he had hoped at one time to be appointed to the State's new Conservation Commission.

### Motor Launch Sunk.

When asked if he owned a motorboat on the Mississippi River, Chawford said he did not. When Breed produced a copy of a Federal Government record, listing him as the owner of a 20-foot open launch named Ruby Belle, Crawford replied that the Ruby Belle had sunk and was now lying beneath the water at the mouth of the Missouri River, and that she was beyond salvage.

"That is what you would call a sunken asset," Referee in Bankruptcy Elmer E. Pearcy observed.

Crawford formerly operated the old Hunters' Country Club in Northern St. Louis County, but lost it through foreclosure by Sayman. The slander suit against the soap manufacturer was based on alleged derogatory remarks made by Sayman. A jury in Circuit Court at Clayton gave Crawford a judgment in July, 1935, for $52,002, which was later reduced to $39,501 by Circuit Judge Robert W. McElhinney. An appeal was taken by Sayman and the settlement followed.

Crawford's bankruptcy schedules listed liabilities of $33,996, including $27,300 in notes and $6696 in unsecured claims, consisting mostly of judgments against the salesman. Assets were given as $5481, of which $5200 represents a claim on 49 shares of stock in an investment company, which is pending in a suit in Circuit Court. The remainder of his assets consist of personal effects and $42 in cash, on which he claims exemption.

Crawford won the 1927 international trapshooting championship at Havana, Cuba; the 1928 national handicap match at Springfield, Ill., and the 1929 Missouri State championship.

# DUTCH PROPOSAL REJECTED BY SCANDINAVIAN COUNTRIES

## Purpose Was the Recognition of Italian Sovereignty in Ethiopia.

By the Associated Press.

AMSTERDAM, The Netherlands, Dec. 22.—A spokesman for the ministry of Foreign Affairs disclosed yesterday that the Scandinavian countries had rejected suggestions from the Netherlands designed "to end abnormal relations with Italy" over Ethiopia.

The spokesman said negotiations were continuing with Belgium, but with little optimism.

(Norwegian Foreign Minister Halvdan Koht, announcing Norway's rejection, said the Netherlands proposed that Norway, Sweden, Denmark, Finland, The Netherlands, Belgium and Luxembourg make a joint statement urging Western European Powers to recognize Italian sovereignty in Ethiopia.)

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## WELL, I'LL TELL YOU—By BOB BURNS

I READ the other day where a politician in the Middle West said the best way to deal with the racketeer is to appeal to his sense of justice. The trouble is, a lot'a racketeers have been at it so long they have begun to think that they have a legitimate business. I remember down home when all the farmers started missin' hogs. They were pretty certain who the hog thief was, but they never could catch him at it. One day my uncle got in a big shipment of prize hogs and he called this hog thief over to the house and says, "Now, I'm gonna make you a proposition. I'll let you take your pick of two of the finest hogs in that bunch if you'll promise not to bother any of the rest of 'em." The hog thief looked over this big bunch of fat hogs and says, "Well, you've been a pretty good neighbor and I'll accept your offer, but I'm losin' a lot of good meat."

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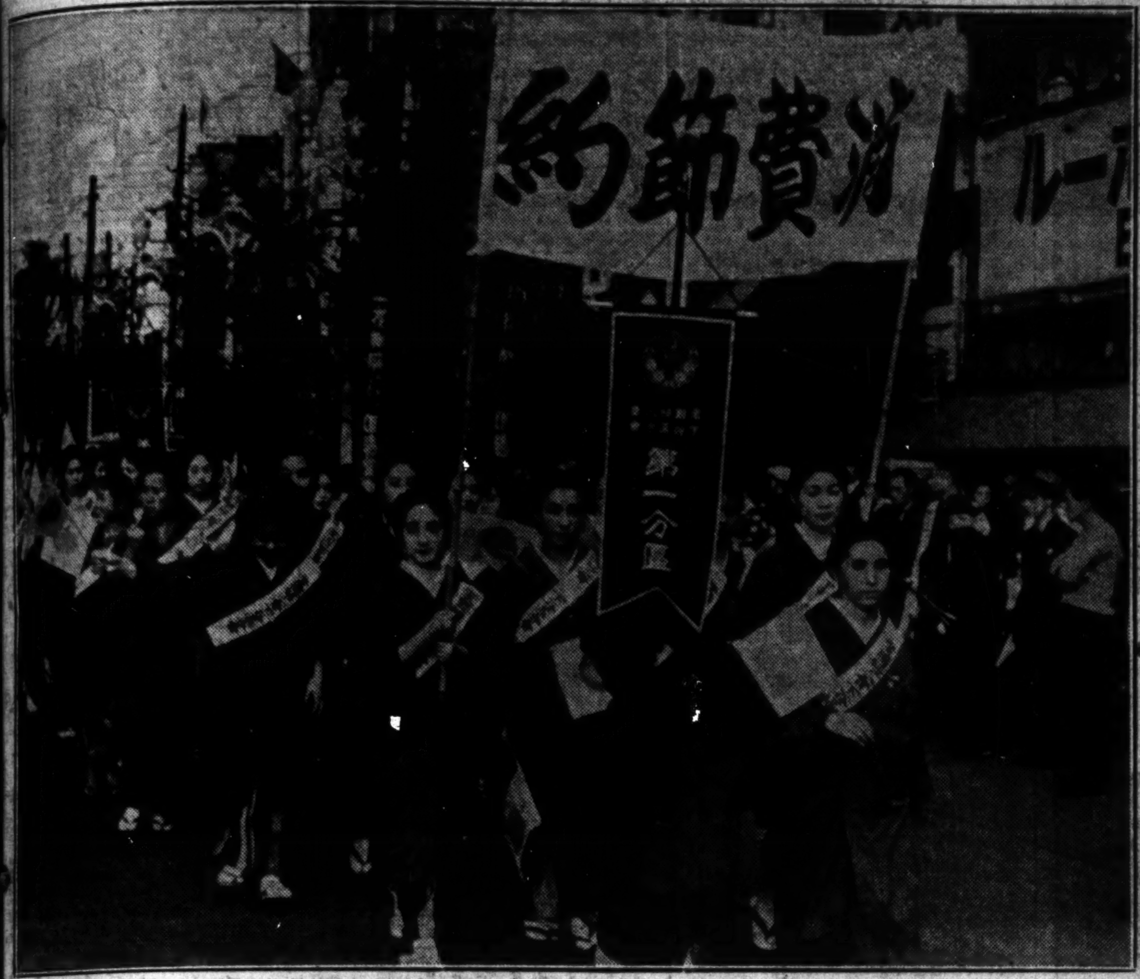
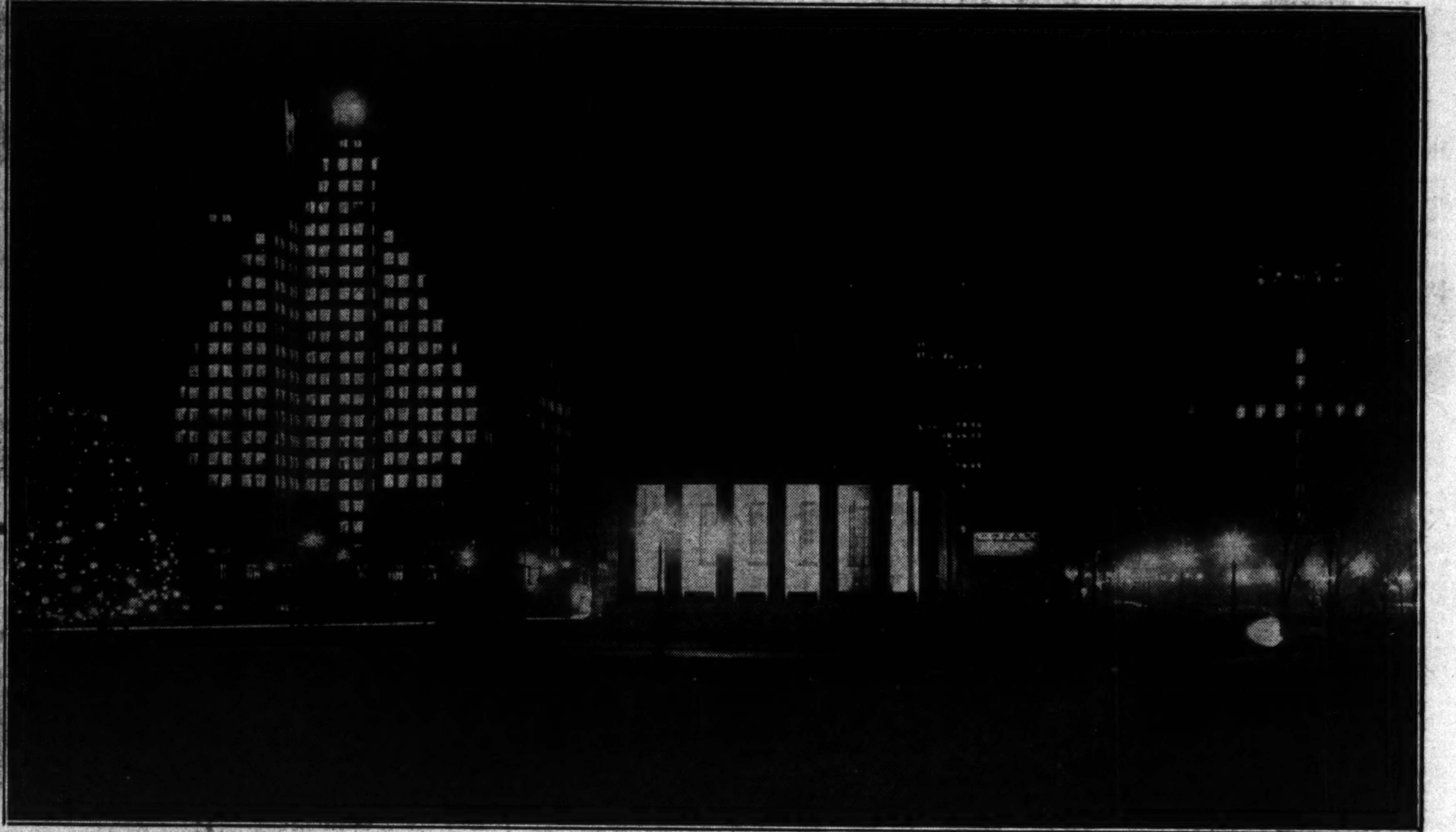
### JAPANESE GIRLS IN TOKIO VICTORY PARADE



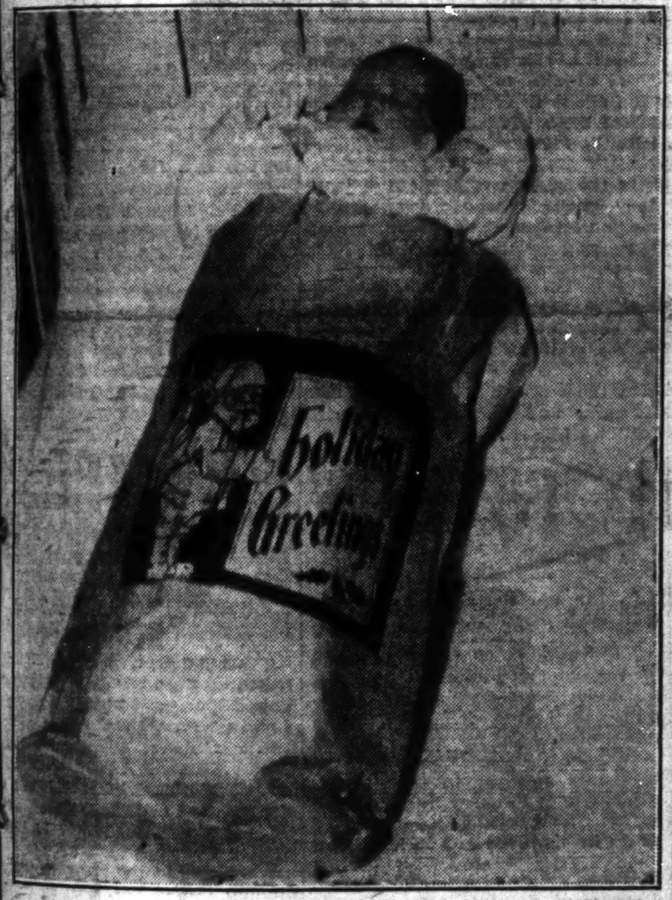
Members of the Japanese Women's National Defense Association marching during a recent demonstration.

### CHRISTMAS LIGHTS IN MEMORIAL PLAZA



Lighted windows of the Missouri Pacific Building (at left) form a star-topped Christmas tree. In the center the Soldiers' Memorial is illuminated by new flood lights and at right a cross is formed in the windows of the Civil Courts building. —By a Post-Dispatch Staff Photographer.

### LIVE DOLL ON DOORSTEP



Wrapped in a blanket and bundled in Christmas shopping bag, this two-day old girl was found by a Philadelphia milkman making his early morning rounds. He turned her over to police, who took her to a hospital. —Associated Press Wirephoto.

### PREPARES GIFTS FOR 3500 NEEDY CHILDREN

Charles J. Gevecker (second from left), better known as "Uncle Charley" to thousands of St. Louis children. Gevecker made his debut as one of Santa's helpers 29 years ago. He hasn't missed a year since. He is shown here with four of his helpers. —Charles Trefts Photo.

### JAPANESE PREPARE FOR BATTLE

They are loading shells into a tank before going into battle in the vicinity of Soochow. —Associated Press Wirephoto.

### PLAYING IN FINAL ROUND OF ST. LOUIS CHESS LEAGUE

The players at the left of the picture are J. W. Lips, Eugene J. Roesch, M. H. Tyrrell, J. B. Garner, A. R. Day, R. V. Clark and G. Leisher. At right is Charles Burton. —By a Post-Dispatch Staff Photographer.

### KING AND DIPLOMAT CONVERSE

King Carol (left) of Rumania, and French Foreign Minister Yvon Delbos during the latter's visit to Bucharest on his political tour of central European capitals. —Wide World Photo.

### ATTORNEYS AND WITNESS AT FORD NLRB HEARING

From left, Thomas F. Muldoon, Ford attorney; Gerhard Van Arkel, Labor Board attorney, and Frank Gruswitz, financial secretary of the St. Louis local of the United Automobile Workers, with membership and dues records of the local which were inspected by Ford Motor Company counsel. —By a Post-Dispatch Staff Photographer.

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# Good Sports

### By Dale Carnegie

VISIT any high school or college; go to a small town where everybody knows everybody else; look around at your club. Invariably, you will find that the most liked persons are those who have a sense of sportsmanship. They are the fellows who "can take it." To be a good sport sometimes requires courage, but fortunately courage grows with application.

Basil King, the author, was a fine example of a good sport. He said: 'With courage I get energy; with energy comes the fighting spirit which finds joy in overriding obstacles."

And Basil King knew whereof he spoke, for he bore, over a period of years, an affliction which would have overwhelmed many another man. His glands did not function correctly and the skin of his face became like parchment; he was sensitive about meeting new people. But his kindliness and courage overshadowed his handicap, and no one thought of his affliction after meeting him the first time. Basil King had true sportsmanship.

Edward Everett was, at one time, the greatest orator in America, possibly in the world. So brilliant were his speeches that they had been published in four volumes, and colleges used them as the finest examples of oratory this country had ever seen.

When he was 69 years old, came the greatest triumph of his career. The National Soldiers' Cemetery at Gettysburg, Pa., was to be dedicated and he was chosen as the speaker of the day.

He spent a great deal of time on the preparation of his speech, and he spoke brilliantly for nearly two hours, the climax of a long and distinguished career!

Then another man rose to speak; a gaunt, shambling individual. Putting on his old steel spectacles, he came to the front of the platform, spoke 10 sentences and sat down amid dead silence!

And Edward Everett knew that here was a speech far greater than his own oration. He did not hesitate. Going to the speaker, he said:

Mr. Lincoln, I would be glad if I could flatter myself that I came as near to the central idea of the occasion in my two hours as you did in your two minutes."

And that, I commend to you, as true sportsmanship!

A friend once asked Charles Dickens what he would do when he ran out of material to write about, since seemingly he had exhausted practically all the phases of life as subjects for his novels. But Dickens was not worried. He replied: "There is enough inspiration in one block of the City of London to keep me writing for another whole lifetime."

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## Oysters Casino

Thirty oysters.
One teaspoon salt.
One-quarter teaspoon paprika.
One-quarter teaspoon celery salt.
Two tablespoons lemon juice.
Three tablespoons butter.
Six bacon slices.
One-third cup grated cheese.

Place oysters in individual buttered baking dishes. Sprinkle with seasonings and juice. Top with butter, bacon and cheese. Bake 20 minutes in a moderately hot oven. Serve immediately.

## Creole Tomatoes

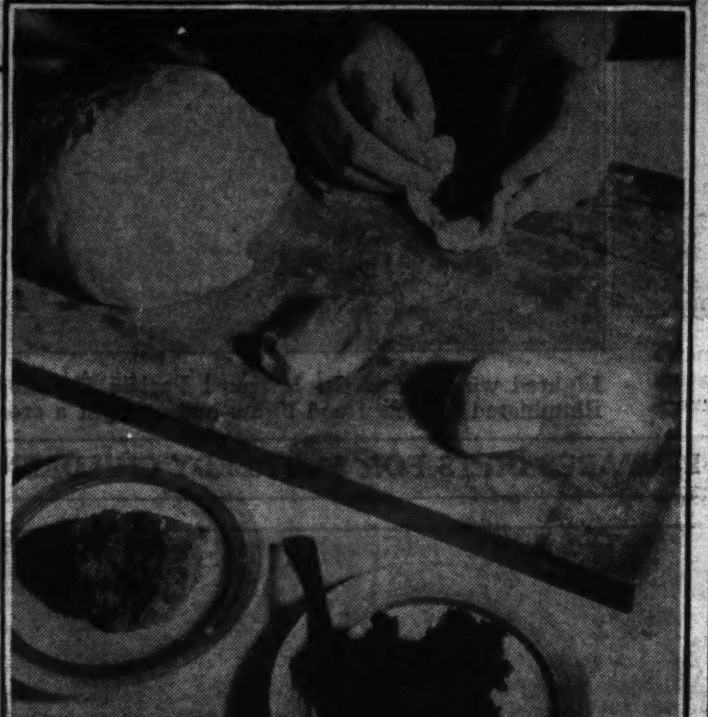
A solution for luncheon on the rainy day when we want something warm for the children between school sessions. Two cups tomatoes, two chopped hard-boiled eggs, one-half cup chopped celery, one tablespoon minced onion, two tablespoons melted butter, one-half cup crumbled breadcrumbs, salt and pepper. Mix ingredients and turn into a buttered baking dish. Bake for 20 minutes in a moderate oven and serve on casserole with plain boiled noodles.

# NORWEGIAN CHRISTMAS BREADS

## They Are Made in Many Shapes From Old Recipes Popular for Centuries.

### By Anna M. Olsen

BREAD SHAPES THAT HAVE BEEN POPULAR IN NORWAY FOR CENTURIES.



"MAANER" FULL MOONS—FILLED WITH ALMOND PASTE, RAISINS AND CURRANTS.

NORWAY, the "Fairyland of the North," has become a mecca for sightseers and travelers. It is not only the fjords and waterfalls, the jagged snow-capped mountains and the midnight sun that soothe and thrill. The good cheer and hospitality of the people also beckon.

Norwegian hospitality takes various forms, but it expresses itself universally in the serving of food and drink. This hospitality spreads over all seasons, but it is at its best at Christmas time. Jars and chests are filled with Christmas cookies and cakes, and shelves are piled high with breads of many kinds. Week on week before Christmas the kitchen has bustled with baking activities.

To the Norwegian, bread is truly the staff of life. It is not strange, therefore, that much thought is given to its preparation. Yeast breads are made in a profusion of ways and shapes, and quick breads are freely interspersed for variety. Occupying a unique place among the breads is the flatbrod (flatbread) which is made and stored in large quantity for future use. But the art of bread making in Norway expresses itself most fully at Christmas time in the tasty and intriguingly shaped julebrod (Christmas breads), from recipes that have been popular for centuries.

Flatbrod or flatbread, which is unleavened, thin and crisp, is one of the oldest types of Norwegian bread, and still a much-used bread. In many of the country sections it is made in quantity three or four times a year and safely stored in a stabbur, a small storehouse built on pillars. The bread is made from products grown locally, such as potatoes and rye flour, oatmeal or wheat flour. Or the bread may be made from one or several cereal flours and water. With a rolling pin ribbed lengthwise, pieces of stiff dough are rolled into large, paper-thin disks, two feet or more in diameter. Each piece is baked either on a hot, heavy iron plate placed over the open fire, or on the smooth solid top of a stove or a large round griddle. A long pointed stick is used to transfer the disk to the stove and to turn it to bake both sides. The crisp, dry bread is stacked flat, covered and stored in a cool, dry place, or each piece may be folded into quarters while warm and then stacked. This bread keeps crisp and fresh for months. It is broken in pieces and eaten as bread; or it may be served soft by placing a piece between clean moist cloths a short time before eating. The recipe given is used in many American homes.

"FLATBROD."

Two cups hot mashed potatoes, one teaspoon salt, two tablespoons fat, three to four cups rye flour, oatmeal or all-purpose flour. Season potatoes with salt and fat, and gradually work in flour to make a stiff, smooth dough; if permitted to stand one-half hour or longer, it rolls more easily. Turn dough out on floured board and knead enough to shape into long roll; cut in uniform pieces. Roll each piece into a paper-thin disk, adding flour as needed to keep dough from sticking to board; the disk should be no larger than the griddle or frying pan used for baking. Bake on moderately hot griddle, turning with spatula when blistered on top side. Stack and store in covered container. To use, break in pieces and serve as bread, as canape base, or as a soup or salad accompaniment. Approximate yield, 12 round pieces, 10 to 12 inches in diameter. Potatoes may be omitted and water added to the dry ingredients to make a stiff dough; then proceed as directed in recipe.

Flatbrod is adapted in many delicious ways:

"LEFSE" OR "KLING."

Place disks of crisp flatbrod between clean moist cloths and let stand one-half hour, or until softened; these may be stacked. Spread one piece at a time with creamed butter and sprinkle with brown sugar, or cover with thinly sliced primost, a Norwegian brown cheese. Fold in thirds and cut crosswise in two-inch strips or in small triangles. Serve as small cakes or snacks. These may be made ahead of time and covered tightly to keep moist. One 12-inch disk makes about six pieces.

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FERMENTED or leavened breads, known from antiquity among the Orientals, are of comparatively recent date in Norway. Nevertheless they date back sufficiently that the shapes and stone molds first used in Christmas baking have found their way into the Folkmuseums. Some of these molds are now copied at Christmas time and for other festive occasions. Those most generally used and easily made are described under Historic Christmas Breads.

Yeast breads are an important food in the Norwegian home. They are made from rye and wheat flours both coarse and fine. Every home has its favorite basic recipe which it uses as a foundation for many fancy rolls and breads. The following recipe for buns or bread is in general use.

NORWEGIAN BUNS OR BREAD.

Two cups milk, one-fourth cup sugar, one to two cakes compressed yeast, eight cups sifted flour (about), one and one-half teaspoons salt, one-half cup butter, softened; two egg yolks, beaten, and one teaspoon grated lemon rind. Scald milk, add two tablespoons sugar and cool; when lukewarm, add crumbled yeast cake and three cups flour and beat thoroughly. Cover and let rise in warm place until spongy. Then add the remaining two tablespoons sugar, salt, butter, egg yolks and lemon rind, and beat well; gradually stir in the remaining flour until dough is stiff enough to handle easily. Knead on lightly floured board until smooth and elastic, adding flour as necessary. Cover and let rise until doubled in bulk. Shape into rolls, buns, twists, wreaths, braids or other larger shapes as desired and place in greased pans; brush with melted butter, cover and let rise about one hour, or until light. Bake rolls in moderately hot oven (375 to 400 degrees Fahrenheit) for 15 to 20 minutes; bake loaves in moderate oven (375 degrees Fahrenheit) for 40 to 60 minutes, according to size. Approximate yield: Four and one-half dozen rolls or two loaves.

HISTORIC CHRISTMAS BREADS.

Use basic recipe for Norwegian buns or bread; when dough is light, shape part into a long, thick roll and cut it in pieces as desired; then mold on greased pans into shapes which are copies of the ancient stone molds. Brush with melted butter, unbeaten egg whites, or slightly beaten egg yolk or whole egg and sprinkle with chopped almonds and coarse sugar, if desired; cover and let rise about one hour, or until light. Bake in moderate oven (375 degrees Fahrenheit) for 40 to 60 minutes.

"HVALKNUTEN" (WHALEKNOT)

With fingers roll three uniform pieces of dough, about the size of a medium bun, into finger-thick strips, nine to 12 inches long. Place strips crosswise over each other on greased pan and flatten slightly at center; coil ends toward center, snail-fashion and in same direction.

"LUCIEKRONEN" (CROWN.)

With fingers roll four uniform small pieces of dough into thin, round strips about six inches long, tapering one end of each slightly. Place strips on greased pan, fan-shaped with thick ends touching; coil ends, snail-fashion and in same direction. Roll or pat a small piece into a one-fourth inch disk; place it over and under strips to hold them together and to make bottom of crown, brush with egg white. For a jeweled crown, place a currant or candied cherry, halved, in each coil and decorate headband as desired.

FILLED CROSS BUNS.

Use recipe for Norwegian buns or bread; substitute one teaspoon crushed cardamom seeds for grated lemon rind if desired. When dough is light, turn part of it out on lightly floured board and shape into thick roll; cut in uniform small pieces and roll each into a thin disk. Place teaspoon of any one of fillings for buns in center of each and bring opposite points of dough together to cover filling; dip tops in melted butter and place, seam side down, in greased pan so that buns will not touch when baked. Cover and let rise one hour, or until light. Bake in moderately hot oven (375-400 degrees Fahrenheit) for 15 to 20 minutes.

FILLINGS FOR BUNS.

These fillings must be thick and stiff; if thin and moist, they will make the bread heavy. Marmalades, conserves, chopped candied cherries, citron, lemon or orange rind, or a thick cream filling may be used as additional fillings.

ALMOND FILLING.

Grind one-half cup almonds; mix with one-half cup powdered sugar, one egg and two drops almond extract, adding more sugar if mixture is thin.

RAISIN AND CURRANT FILLING

Mix equal amounts of butter and powdered sugar to a cream; add finely chopped raisins, currants and citron.

"HALVMOANEN" (HALF MOONS).

Cut three-inch disks from rolled dough; place desired filling in center of each and brush edges with egg white. Fold in halves, press down along edges and arch slightly to make half moons.

"NAPOLEONSHATTER."

Cut four-inch squares of rolled dough in halves, diagonally, to make triangles; place desired filling in center of each and bring corners together over filling, sealing with egg white.

"OVERSKAARNE" (BREAD FRUIT STRIPS).

Cut a three-inch wide strip from rolled dough, place desired filling on top, leaving a one-half-inch margin around strip. Arrange narrow strips of dough, lattice fashion, over filling; brush edges of dough with egg and fold over to make a one-half-inch rim around piece.

"MAANER" (FULL MOONS).

Cut three-inch disks from rolled dough and pierce several times with fork. Place bit of filling in center of small rounds of dough, bring edges together to cover filling and make balls; brush seam sides with egg white.

## Chocolate Fudge Cake

One-half cup fat.
Two cups brown sugar.
Two eggs.
One cup sour milk.
One teaspoon vanilla.
Two and one-half squares chocolate, melted.
Two and one-half cups flour.
One teaspoon soda.
One teaspoon baking powder.
One-eighth teaspoon salt.

Cream fat and sugar. Add eggs and milk. Beat together for two minutes. Add rest of the ingredients. Beat for one minute. Pour into a shallow pan lined with waxed paper and bake 30 minutes in a moderately slow oven. Cool and cover with chocolate frosting.

## ROOM AND BOARD

### By Gene Ahern

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COME ON IN TH' HOUSE, BOYS.— ALL IS FORGIVEN!—— I'VE GOT MRS. PUFFLE PURRING LIKE A CAT FULL OF FISH!——SHE WAS A LITTLE MAD AT FUST ABOUT US RASSLIN' IN TH' PARLOR, BUT I GOT HER BACK IN GOOD HUMOR! —— C'MON IN, JEDGE.—— TH' LITTLE WOMAN IS PINING HERSELF AWAY TO SEE YOU!
YES,—TERRY HAS IT ALL PATCHED UP!—
Gene Ahern
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# Rickets Caused By Body's Lack Of Vitamin D

## Why It Is Important to Get as Much Sunshine as Possible in Winter.

### By Logan Clendening, M. D.

GET as much sunshine as you can. And especially see that the baby, if you have one, and the children, get all the sunlight possible. The sun is still the giver of life; the old Egyptian thought is proved true by modern science.

Rickets is the disease of infancy and childhood which appears in the early spring months with most frequency—but it appears then because it is bred during the dark days of winter. It is caused by lack of Vitamin D in the body, and the natural way of making Vitamin D is by exposure of the skin to the sun's rays.

In the spectrum, or rainbow, the break-up of the white light of the sun shows the red rays at one end and the violet at the other. About 13 per cent of the electro-magnetic waves in sunlight are visible to the eye. The long light waves are at the red end, and beyond them, invisible, are the infra-red, which produce heat. They have penetrating power, as can be felt inside a window pane on a freezing day. Down at the other end, beyond the violet, are the ultra-violet rays, and they do not have the penetrating powers of the waves at the other end of the spectrum. They do not penetrate ordinary window glass, for instance.

The proportion of these waves in sunlight is always the same, but owing to their varying ability to penetrate, the amount which reaches the earth varies greatly. The season of the year and the condition of the atmosphere determine the amounts. When the sun is directly overhead the penetration is best, and naturally, clouds, fog, smoke and dust impede their passage.

These ultra-violet rays produce all the effects that sunlight produces on the skin—tanning being the most evident. More important for health is that they form Vitamin D in the skin, which is absorbed and carried to the liver, where it is stored to be doled out as the body needs it.

This Vitamin D is the substance which controls calcium utilization in the body. Rickets is a disease of lack of calcium. The bones, deprived of calcium, grow soft and may become deformed. Calcium may be present in the food and in the blood, but for some mysterious reason, unless Vitamin D is present, it cannot be utilized by the bones.

Therefore, get all the sunlight you can for yourself, but, even more important, for your children, these winter days. Even on cloudy days there are some ultra-violet rays which penetrate the mists. Skyshine and cloudshine have about one-fourth the power of sunshine, but that is something and must be seized. Inside the house won't do because, as we have said, the ultra-violet rays do not penetrate window glass unless it is especially made with that in mind.

Vitamin D can, of course, be obtained artificially, and there is some in nearly any diet. It can be deliberately added by giving cod liver oil or the substance known as viosterol, and it is so important for babies to have this that they are fed these substances in their diet. But nothing beats nature's way, so get what sunshine you can these dark days.

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## Brain Twizzlers

### By Prof. J. D. Flint

I THINK WE JUST WENT THROUGH A STOPLIGHT.

A FLOCK of ducks was winging its merry way southward when suddenly a lone duck zoomed down from above and, banking into a sharp turn, pulled up beside the leader. "Hey!" he said, "where are you hundred ducks going?" "We are not a hundred ducks," the leader replied. "In order to have a hundred we need, in addition to us, the same number again plus half as many as we are plus one-fourth as many as we are and you."

How many were in the flock when the lone duck flew up? Just too ducky, isn't it? Answer on Page 4, Column 1.

# Christmas Spirit

### By Helen Rowland

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DO you believe in Santa Claus? Of course, you do! For some of us, there will always be a Santa Claus!

Yet, people say that the "Christmas Spirit" went out of the world when we moderns became so sophisticated that we lost the power to be surprised. That we are so busy grabbing for the things at the foot of the Christmas tree, we forget to look up at the star at the top and remember what it is all about!

Somebody is always trying to take the "spirit" out of Christmas. But there are so many kinds of "Christmas Spirit."

There is the Christmas spirit that you sense everywhere.

In the shopper's harassed expression as she checks over her long list of those-who-must-be-remembered!

In the elevator man's ivory grin and cheerful greeting.

In the stenographer's pensive pose as she mentally stretches "the check from the firm." In the office boy's winged feet as he visions the extra pay in his envelope.

In the sudden falling off of your "boy friends," who won't be tormented by Christmas shopping—but will drop around again by New Years.

In the eye of the chairman-of-philanthropy at the club as she passes you the upturned hat!

In the waiter's intense solicitude for your welfare, and for the perfection of your filet of beef.

In the ringing of the bells on the street corners and the gay red costumes of the Santas who call our attention to the "pot that must be kept boiling."

In the charity appeals in your mail each morning.

And there is that mystic thrill of the winter solstice—that "just for Christmas" feeling that something, something delightful, something altogether magical is about to happen! That little clutch of eagerness and joy in the throat which comes to every human being as long as there is one drop of youth in his blood and in his heart.

And there is the spirit of childish dreams—of Santa Claus with a pack on his back. The beautiful "ghost-spirit" of youth and illusions and belief-in-things, which touches the soul of the hardest old cynic and softens it and lights it up.

For, after all, Christmas is the symbol of the Glow of Youth in the heart—the bright oasis of illusion in the modern desert of materialism. And for some of us, the night before Christmas will always be a night of mystery and magic, when almost anything wonderful might happen!

## German Kuchen

Make a pancake batter of one pint milk that has been boiled and cooled until lukewarm. One yeast cake, salt and enough flour to form a thin batter. Let set for three hours. Then add to it three eggs, one cup butter, one cup sugar, the grated rind of one lemon, a little vanilla, and enough flour to make a stiff batter. Beat well and let rise over night. Roll out and put in pans. Let rise until light. Brush white of egg over the top and sprinkle with chopped almonds, cinnamon and brown sugar. Bake until nicely browned.

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By H. H. NIEMEYER

VARIOUS POSES OF JOAN DAVIS, NEW COMEDY STAR OF THE FILMS. AT RIGHT, SHE DOES THE BIG APPLE WITH GREGORY RATOFF.

HOLLYWOOD, Dec. 22.

YOU probably know how those street sets are at the studios. The pavement's real, and so are the sidewalks, and the automobiles and pedestrians, the traffic cops, and the signs on the store windows. But back of the windows there's nothing more than a few neckties on stands and some empty merchandise boxes.

Well, it was in a "barber shop" on the New York street set at Twentieth Century-Fox that we found Joan Davis, the red-haired girl with the rubber legs who socks herself on the chin two or three times in every picture while audiences laugh so loudly—or do they?—you can scarcely hear the crack of her fist striking her jaw. There were no barber chairs, no barbers, no manicurists. There was just a wooden kitchen chair, on which Joan was seated, a canvas topped stool and a makeup table.

"How about it, Joan?" we asked, "are you really made of rubber? How does it feel to earn your living by doing falls on the back side of your appetite?"

Joan was just sitting there, all by herself. Not reading, not listening to a radio, not opening her fan mail, not polishing her fingernails, not powdering her nose. Not doing any of the things a publicity department man would have her doing for publication. Just sitting. Looking through the window. We could see Alice Faye and Tony Martin, bride and groom, seated side by side on a bench in the middle of Fifth avenue, enjoying the December sunshine and waiting for the cameraman to get set up down at the corner for the start of the day's work on "Sally, Irene and Mary."

"I'll not only tell you," Joan replied grimly, "I'll show you." Thereupon she pulled her skirt back from a pair of shapely shins and knees. We know you'll believe us when we say we blushed and glanced away but she said, "Look!" in a very definite tone, so as a gentleman and reporter, we had to do just as she requested.

"That's from doing the big apple with Gregory Ratoff all day yesterday," she declared. "Doing the big apple brought those strawberries." And sure enough, right on each knee, plainly visible through sheer silk hose, was a pink bruised spot.

"I only had to jump from a table and land on the floor on my knees," she continued. "That man Ratoff chased me all over the set. If I'd had time to think I'd have thought I was back with Mack Sennett. I can hardly walk this morning. Last night I couldn't even stand the weight of the bedclothes and I almost got frostbit.

"About the bumps, well, I'm doing my darndest to develop myself into the kind of comedienne who can get a laugh without breaking a leg—you know, that Myrna Loy sort of thing, but I don't dare tell the studio about it yet. In the meantime, I've developed natural padding in the places I need it most and you'd be surprised—I'm usually harder on the furniture than I am on myself.

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JOAN DAVIS has the kind of looks that make you wish, for her sake, that she'd be cast in a natural color picture. We are thinking, now, of her real ivory and pink skin, the kind that goes with her dark red hair and blue eyes. She's just 26; she's crazy about her husband and former vaudeville partner, Si Wills, and they're both crazy about their 4-year-old daughter, Beverly.

On the drop of a hat, any hat, Beverly will recite the following:

My name is Beverly Wills,
I live in Beverly Hills,
On Beverly drive.
My mama's name is Joan,
My papa's name is Si,
My grandma's name is Nina,
And there isn't any finer.

No comedienne in Hollywood has come faster during the last year than Joan. After finishing a six months' contract at a studio here without facing a camera once, she was placed under a term contract by Darryl F. Zanuck, production head at Twentieth Century-Fox. During the last 12 months she has been in eight pictures.

First was "The Holy Terror," with Jane Withers. She was a waitress in that one. "Time Out for Romance," with Claire Trevor, helped. So did "The Great Hospital Mystery," in which she played the role of a nurse. She appeared in a flash in "On the Avenue," but that picture resulted in her being cast in the Walter Winchell-Ben Bernie musical, "Wake Up and Live." Since then the speed of her rise has increased daily.

She chased Nat Pendleton through "Life Begins in College," she led an orchestra in "Thin Ice," she secretaried Walter Winchell in "Love and Hisses," and now she's one of the three beautiful manicurists in "Sally, Irene and Mary."

Joan Davis was pegged six months ago by Zanuck as being one of the certain big comedy stars of 1938. He's even more sure of his judgment today.

"When I was a kid back in St. Paul my grandfather—he's dead now—used to play the bass fiddle at the Metropolitan Theater," Joan said. "He used to stand up and saw away at that big bass viol while I sat on his high stool and watched the shows. I was a little girl sitting on that stool when I saw 'Sally, Irene and Mary.'"

Miss Davis gives her father most of the credit for starting her off as an actress. LeRoy Davis was and still is, a Northern Pacific train dispatcher in St. Paul.

"It started when Mom began letting me sing and speak pieces in church when I was three. By the time I was seven I was sure, and Dad was willing to be convinced, that I was ready for my debut. I made it in an amateur night performance at a movie. I'll never forget it. I sang something about "Like the Sunbeams Need the Sunshine, Like the Roses need the Dew, like a Baby needs its Mother, that's how I need You."

"Nobody stopped me while I was singing, thank goodness, and we all lined up to find out who were to be the winners of the prizes. The manager of the theater held his hand over my head and all the applause I got was from one person—Dad. Mom had stayed home. She had stage fright.

"'It's not for you, daughter,' Dad said, and he put his arm around me and we left the theater. I couldn't see for tears.

"But the next day I started thinking it over. If I couldn't be a good serious singer or actress, maybe I could make people laugh. A few nights later there was another amateur night show and I did a comedy song. I won first prize and from then on I did pretty well but I was careful not to be serious again."

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WHEN Joan appeared in St. Paul amateur night shows she was billed as "St. Paul's Own," and when she appeared in Minneapolis it was as "Minneapolis' Own."

During the same year Dad took her to Seattle where she started doing a 14-minute comedy single on the Pantages circuit.

"I always did a single until my manager teamed me with Serenus—that's the truth—Wills, she continued. "That happened on March 17, 1931, and we tourned as Wills and Davis until March, 1936. We were married Aug. 13, 1931, and two years later Beverly came. She was born here.

"It was because of Beverly that we decided to give up stage work and try motion pictures. We wanted her to have a real home. Taking a youngster on tour isn't a very practical idea. It will be a long time before I forget my trip back to St. Paul alone with Beverly, when she was only six weeks old.

"So last spring, Si and I decided we'd stay here permanently—we'd been wintering here for years. With the exception of a short I appeared in for Mack Sennett in 1934, I had played in no pictures. Not long after we had gotten settled in Beverly Hills, our good friend, Ray McCarey, the director, one night said he wished he could have me do a bit in a picture he was making, 'Millions In the Air.'

"I was a nobody as far as pictures were concerned, but at the same time I felt it would be bad business at the price the studio felt was right for the job. So I did it for nothing. It turned out all right because somebody from RKO saw the picture and for some reason liked me as a stuttering girl, and a contract was the result. I did not appear in a single scene during the six months I drew pay there, but when my time was up, 20th Century-Fox offered me a contract and I signed it."

There was a single lull in Joan's acting career, she confesses.

"It seemed to me I'd been going along for season after season and not getting any richer," she said. "I used to like to play bridge for so much a point and I even liked to guess which spots would turn up on a pair of dice. I finally decided that other acts would take less than their usual salary to get on the same bill with me because they knew they could win all of my weekly check.

"Finally I gave myself a good talking to. "I said, 'Joan, why don't you get smart. Other girls have jobs in stores and places and go home every night, and have fun, and on Sundays they pack lunches and go on picnics. What's this life getting you? Nothing but a disarranged appetite and a nodding acquaintance with a lot of Pullman conductors. Why don't you go back home and get a regular job?'

"So I did. I got a job as a salesgirl in Kress' dime store on Seventh street in Minneapolis—at the goldfish counter. I got $12 a week. At the end of two weeks I felt I couldn't stand it any longer. One morning as I was walking down to the basement I saw a mop standing in a mop pail and a wet place on the floor. At that moment I knew how to leave that job gracefully. I did a skid such as I still do in pictures and fell kerplunk right in the middle of the wet spot.

"I moaned and groaned and told them my back hurt so they sent me to a hospital and I stayed there two weeks—on salary and with my expenses paid. It was the first real rest I'd had in years. When I left the hospital I said my back still hurt and I'd better convalesce at home. Then I got a job in a night club and never did go back to the goldfish."

After Joan teamed with Si Wills, she says, he began building their act so that she would get the laughs. Si is still building laughs—in the radio and screen scripts that keep him busy. He also contributes some of the laughs Joan injects into her picture roles.

"How did you actually get into pictures in the first place?" we asked.

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"I'LL break down and confess about that, too," said this frank young woman. "I wanted to get into pictures, all right, and anybody who tells you they were forced into them is just talking. My trouble—and it's the same with nearly every other newcomer—was in getting somebody to give me a chance. Making good in pictures is often much easier than getting a chance to make good. Anyway, nobody offered me screen tests or auditions and I was almost ready to forget the whole thing.

"Then we fenagled. Si knew somebody who knew Mack Sennett so we had a little dinner at our home and Mr. Sennett came. After dinner various ones of us played or sang and finally my turn came and, mister, did I turn on the heat! I never tried so hard in my life to win an audience. Well, it worked. Mr. Sennett put me in a hillbilly short and I had my start in pictures."

Joan paused and tentatively flexed her left knee and then her right one. They seemed to work pretty well.

"That's all," she said. "You've got the story of my life."

"You've told me everything?"

"Everything—except about that time I won $443 on a two-horse parlay down in New Orleans."

"And that's absolutely all?"

"Absolutely—unless you think it's important that I studied the violin when I was a kid. In two years I learned to play 'Pop Goes the Weasel.'"

"Do you still play the violin?"

"I still play 'Pop Goes the Weasel,' but not so well."

She said good-by and we went away. The big apple. A dance where you hop around on your knees. What's the world coming to?

## Good Manners in Public -:- -:- -:- By Emily Post

Dear Mrs. Post:

WILL you please explain the proper course for a man to follow in this personal situation, which is probably that existing in many other places as well. In our church there are no ushers and no pews assigned to the regular use of members. People choose their own seats and consequently sit wherever there is a place at each service. Does a woman precede a man under these circumstances? Wouldn't it be better for the man to go first to find seats?

Answer: In this case there are two equally proper ways of taking places in a church. Usually the aisle of a church is very wide, plenty wide enough for a man and his wife, or any other woman he is accompanying, to walk up the aisle side by side. But she should decide how far down she would like to go. She would probably stand a moment, look at the seats and glance up at him. He would nod in assent, and she take her place and he sit beside her. On the other hand, if the church is already filled, it would be quite proper if he, seeing two seats, were to stop and motion to them exactly as an usher would. She would then follow and take her place first.

Dear Mrs. Post:

Is it improper to ask a waiter, or waitress, the meaning of foreign names on a menu? On occasion, when I have mustered up the courage to ask about a dish before taking a chance on ordering it, I have felt that my display of ignorance had a very unhappy effect on the person serving us. In other words, from that time on I've thought his manner very superior.

Answer: On the contrary, it is entirely proper to ask a waiter for the meaning of foreign or unusual terms. There are, it is true, certain French expressions which are used so often that it is just as well to learn the terms which are encountered on almost every menu. On the other hand, dishes are often named for a special chef or even for a patron of the house, and the waiter has to go to the pantry, or to the head waiter, or out into the kitchen and ask the chef himslef. As a matter of fact, one of our national faults is our fear of being thought ignorant. But after all, we live very far from other countries and if it so happens that we are not familiar with the names of their dishes, it is so much better to ask frankly for information than it is to order something which we might not want at all.

## Christmas Day And an Empty Chair at Table

### Those Who Have Suffered Loss of a Loved One Should Lay Aside Grief.

By Elsie Robinson

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THAT empty chair at the Christmas table—

"I cannot bear it!" she cries. "Ever since our darling died, seven months ago, I've been able to hold myself steady, in a sort of living death. But now I know I'll break . . . seeing the place where she used to sit empty now, without her laugh, her gay, sweet ways—oh, I dare not face it."

How many of us echo that tortured cry as the holiday draws near. Some dear one gone. Christmas, that used to be the happiest day, now dreadful . . . facing that empty chair.

I know. I, too, had an empty chair. And yet I know that you and I are wrong in our bleak grief. It was not meant that we should suffer so. It's part of our own black bewilderment . . .

Life has no empty chairs. Nor need we have them, if we'll walk with Life . . . and dare to let Life have its way with love and grief. I remember the day that knowledge came to me. A mountain dawn, with Christmas just two days away. An eager, breathing dawn . . . the new green pricking through the russet tangle of the ferns . . . the dark earth steaming in the pale, gilt light. Quail calling over the hill . . . rabbits scuttling through the chapparal . . . the smell of apples and wood smoke scenting the crisp air.

Yet—ice on my heart. And terror, thinking of that vacant chair. Christmas without my boy! No glittering tree, no presents—never any more. But I would find some berries for his photograph.

And so I went along a forest trail we'd learned to love. For years we two had known each tree along that way. And now I walked alone, in pain too deep for tears. There was the rock he'd climbed . . . the bush where he had cut a cane . . . the little swale where he had gathered violets. And there the oak which he had blazed one day with his new Boy Scout hatchet.

How proud he'd been! I bent to trace the scar—but it was gone! Already, Life, disdaining death and scars, had spread new, living bark across the wound!

New bark? New growth . . . where we had thought that growth was done? No lasting scars for Life . . . no "empty chairs" for Love! In one bright flash I saw the glorious Truth. Our hurt hearts need not die! One needed just the willingness to live . . . one needed just the courage to go on!

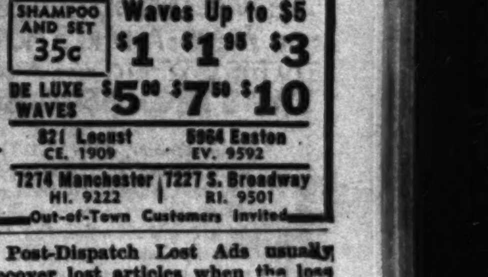
Don't grieve when Christmas comes. Don't say, "We're not celebrating today. You know—" Don't sit and suffer by an empty chair. Lift that head! Light that house! Fill that chair!

There's a tired old man somewhere . . . there's a lonely woman . . . there's a bewildered youngster . . . there's a homeless little tad . . . needing that love you're letting stagnate . . . needing that chair you're keeping vacant. Call them in! Open you arms! Lead them to that chair!

Dare to walk with life! Dare to let life work its healing on hurt love!

### Creamed Fried Onions

Twelve medium-sized onions, three tablespoons butter, two tablespoons cornstarch, two cups milk, one teaspoon salt, pepper, toast. Slice and fry onions in butter until a light brown. Then dredge in cornstarch and add milk and seasoning. Cook until thick and smooth and serve on slices of buttered toast.



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# COOK COOS

By Ted Cook

**COUNT DE EDME GETS STERN REBUKE.**

(In the last instalment, we left Count de Edme Frisbi in a haze as he stood with his bride in name only at the altar—a pathetic figure, dazed and not quite able to answer his own question: "What am I doing?")

(From His Diary of 1891.)

"What next?" I asked, as we rode in silence from the church—with only the merry music of the horses' hoofs on the cobbles, as our carriage rolled swiftly along the Avenue de Nillie.

I could see, from the corner of my eye, that my bride was peering out through the curtained windows—peering out into the sparkling atmosphere of the bright December morning. She was not exactly weeping. Nor was she sad. In fact, she held her kerchief to her dainty nose and lips, which she bit, from time to time, as though suppressing emotional distress.

When she did not answer, I sought to take her hand in mine. She withdrew her hand so hastily, so emphatically, that a chill gripped me from head to foot. I next sought to look into her eyes. She turned the other way.

Suddenly she opened her purse, extracted a coin, and thrust it toward me.

"Here," she said, "you shall never want for money. You shall reside across the paved courtyard from my compartments. To the world you are my husband. To my child you are to take the place of a father. To me, you are 'Pooh!' That is our bargain."

"But," I pleaded, "this is the holiday season—December! Noel will soon be here! Is your heart a heart of stone? Are you—"

Before I could finish my plea she exclaimed, "Noel! Noel who?"

Well, sir, with one firm impulse I lurched, and then....

(To be continued.)

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An educational experiment in Texas permits college students to lecture to the faculty once a week.

It's an excellent idea. The next logical step would be to let students try to get along on the pay of the average college professor.

Then they, the students, would be getting an education.

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**FAMOUS LAST WORDS.**

Let's tell what we bought each other for Christmas, and pretend we haven't told.

## Answer to Twizzler

There were 36 ducks in the flight. Add the same number and you have 72, then half as many or 18 and you have 90, then one-fourth or nine, you have 99, and the lone duck makes the hundredth. Simple, isn't it?

Write to Brain Twizzlers, care this paper, if you have any problems or comments that you would like to send in.

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# PEACOCK FEATHERS « « « A Serial of Love and Wealth » » » By Temple Bailey

## Mimi Tells Jerry She Has Promised to Marry Andy, Despite the Fact That She Does Not Love Him.

### CHAPTER FIFTEEN.

THE DAWN had come upon us, flooding the forest near the house with rose light, and in the midst of that effulgence, Mimi, with her burnished hair and shimmering gown, seemed a figure of almost unearthly beauty.

And now Andy, who had just joined us, turned to me: "I should think you might have known, Chandler," he said with a touch of insolence, "that it is too cold for her here."

Before I could answer, Mimi interposed. "Jerry had nothing to do with it. I came because I wanted to come. I shall go in when I want to go."

I expected to see the flame burst into a conflagration, but I was disappointed. Quite unexpectedly Andy laughed. "I adore you when you are angry, Mimi. But I am not going to have you die on our hands with pneumonia. If you don't come in, I'll carry you."

She protested, "Andy!" But I saw, with a sinking heart, that she was not offended, and there was the faint echo in my ears of Uncle Jerry's advice, "Make yourself her master."

Mimi walked back to the house beside Andy, and I followed. The rose had faded from the sky, and the world was gray.

From that time on, Andy Fuller was my enemy. He had, of course, no definite cause for grievance, but he was conscious, I think, of some subtle influence which I came to exert over Mimi. And I, too, was conscious of it. It was marvelous that it should be so. But she was always kinder to me than to any of the others. She gave to me what seemed to me an adequate explanation:

"I am always having to oppose my will to Andy. You are as restful as a calm after a storm."

She liked to be with me, and we often walked and rode together. I told her something of my life in the parsonage. Yet I am sure she never saw it as bare as it was in reality, nor ourselves so poor. My fancy painted it, as it painted all things, with a full brush.

It was at this time that I began to build the gigantic structure of self-deception which was to work such havoc in my life. I saw Mimi's future and mine in a glamorous haze, in which we lived on Uncle Jerry's ranch as in some ancient feudal castle. That Uncle Jerry must die before my dreams could come true did not weigh upon me. The ranch was, in effect, mine. I saw Mimi as the chatelaine, with a retinue of servants. I saw her at one end of a festive board, dispensing hospitality. I saw her in the saddle, riding with me across the saffro mesas and up the purple hills. I saw her in a high-backed chair like Olga's, with its black bearskin, listening while I read the plays which would make me famous.

> **SYNOPSIS:**
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> *Jerry Chandler, son of a country clergyman in modest circumstances, after a course at Yale, finally meets Mimi Le Brun, now a St. Louis society girl, whom he has admired for years. She is a cousin of Lionel Clark, Jerry's only close friend at college. All three, with several other young people, are at a Maine camp presided over by Olga, an attractive young woman who married Mimi's wealthy grandfather shortly before he died. Jerry has just met Andy Fuller who is in love with Mimi. And now Jerry is with Mimi herself. More impressed than ever with Mimi's charm. Jerry feels he is going to enjoy the house party. At a nearby dance the first evening, Jerry begins to resent Andy's attentiveness to Mimi. Now, back from the dance at 2 a. m., Lionel decides that Jerry must read to the group a play they have written. Jerry reads the play that he and Lionel have written to the house party guests. Later he goes outdoors where Mimi finds him—to tell him that she likes his play, and its idealized hero. Andy, angered, finds them.*

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IT was this dream which gave me confidence. I came to my love not as a poor parson's son, but as the heilr of Uncle Jerry. I might, I argued, be dealing in futures—and in very indefinite futures—but we were both young. We could wait. All the great lovers of history had been constant; all the great heroines—Heloise, and Juliet, and Francesca.

Oh, the dreams of a boy! And of such a boy! I could weep as I remember him!

Lionel and I worked in the mornings on our play, and I worked sometimes late into the night. I counted every moment lost that was not spent with Mimi or at my desk.

The play came at last to be my play. Lionel neglected it more and more in his very active pursuit of Bernice—or perhaps, it might be put, in her pursuit of him. Anyhow, the wooing became fast and furious, and on the tenth day after my arrival the engagement was announced.

Olga gave a party in honor of it. The Bradleys were invited, and other people from the summer colony. It was a dinner party, with the rugs up afterward in the living room for dancing.

Andy Fuller ordered from Tiffany's a present for Bernice. It came one morning when we were having our midday breakfast. It was a golden bottle for scent, set with pearls and hung on a gold chain.

Bernice was in raptures, and Andy was the hero of the moment. And now with Bernice's gift from Tiffany's came a brooch for Mimi—a tiny jeweled peacock in a circle of diamonds. I do not know when he gave it to her, but she wore it for the first time the night of the dinner party, and for the first time I saw her in white—a sheer lace dancing frock—with Andy's pin the only spot of color.

Everybody exclaimed over the pin.

"Of course, he shouldn't have done it," Mimi explained calmly, "but he says that it is an advance bridesmaid's present; that there is no reason why the bride should have everything."

I am sure they all felt she was going to marry him, and that the pin was the sign and the seal of their understanding with each other. But my heart was like lead. Either way, the thing seemed unspeakable—if she married him, or if, with no expectation of marrying him, she would accept such a gift from him!

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IT was when the evening was half over that I had a dance with her. All the windows were open wide, and the moonlight streaming in seemed to dim the candles.

"I have never seen such a moon," I said, as I guided her among the whirling couples; "the night is wonderful."

She looked up at me. "Let's go out in it, Jerry." Her voice was so low that I had to lean down to catch her words. "I—I want to talk to you. I must talk to you."

With burning cheek and beating heart I followed her, catching up her cloak which lay on a chair.

We made our way across the road and entered the forest. The carpet of pine needles was like a clean floor for Mimi's silver slippers. The air was so still that we seemd to float in a golden sea.

"I told you," I said, "that it was wonderful."

"Oh," Mimi said, "is anything wonderful?" She spoke hurriedly, sharply. I was aware of her agitation.

"What is it?" I asked. "What has happened?"

"Jerry," she said, and flung out her hands in a little gesture of despair. "I have promised to marry Andy. And I don't know why I did it."

I stared at her, unbelieving. "No," I said, "no! You couldn't do such a thing. You don't love him."

"I love what he does for me," she said. "And today, when he gave me the brooch, I—I wanted it. Does that sound silly, Jerry? But I did. And I knew if I accepted it that it would tie me to him. Yet—I took it."

I did a thing then that I wondered afterward I had dared to do. I bent over and took the brooch from her dress. She struggled, but I held her while I unfastened it.

"Jerry" she said; "Jerry!"

Continued tomorrow.

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### Names Encountered in Recipes

Macedoine—means diced, or cut-up.

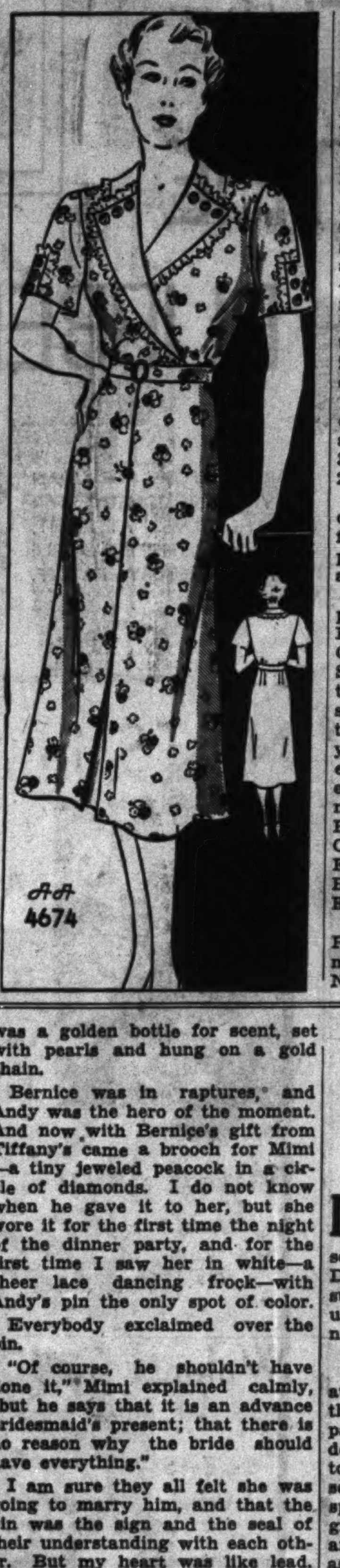
Marinate—means to put together and allow to blend well.

Melange—means a mixture. Frequently hash is disguised in this fashion.

To baste—means to dip liquid on the food in cooking, such as pouring the drippings over the roast while in the oven.

To toss—means to turn lightly with a fork so that all ingredients are covered with the applied dressing but are not made mushy by rough handling.

# TODAY'S PATTERN



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by WYNN

(For Thursday, December 23.)

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**The Chimney of Life.**

When the child pins the stocking at the opening of the fireplace, it is the great symbol of humanity preparing to receive nature's gifts that do actually come down a chimney to reach us. That chimney is the series of holes in the bones of the spinal column. Life, the great gift, comes in through the brain and descends throughout the body as a present from Santa.

**Your Year Ahead.**

Your year ahead should be earnest and hard-working, if this is your anniversary, for it brings responsibilities that could lead on to progress. Bring out your creative self. Danger: Jan. 25-March 4; May 25-July 20; Oct. 16-Dec. 9.

### Piquant Cheese Filling

One-half cup grated cheese.
One egg yolk.
Two tablespoons salad dressing.
One tablespoon chopped pimientos.
One-fourth teaspoon chopped onions.
One-fourth teaspoon chopped celery.
One-fourth teaspoon chopped olives.

Mix ingredients and use as filling for buttered slices of Graham bread. Cut into bars or squares and toast well. Serve hot.

# On Broadway

By Walter Winchell

A GROUP of reporters were gagging about a correspondent who was connected with the N. Y. Times several years ago. His initial assignment was a Lincoln Day celebration far out on Long Island. He wired in his report, concluding with: "The high spot was Capt. Tomkin's elocution. He rendered Lincoln's Gettysburg address, which was as follows." And he wired in the entire speech.

The editor, who was watching it come in, became a little ill, but not too sick to send his cub this message:

"On Washington's Birthday don't send us what he said at Valley Forge—we've GOT it!"

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Being the man of the hour in Hollywood, says Mervyn LeRoy, has only one drawback. You usually last that long.

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It happened the other night at the Trocadero in Movietown. An old gent, the president of a bank, saw Peggy Joyce come in. "Ah," he ah'd, "there is a woman I'd like to meet. But don't misunderstand me. I merely admire her, she has no attraction for me and I'm sure I have none for her."

"My dear fellow," replied his friend, "Miss Joyce is always interested in anyone connected with a bank."

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Harry Kipke was fired as coach of the Michigan team as a result, said the papers, of a series of poison pen letters.

Football, perhaps you've heard, is a great character builder.

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It is supposed to have happened after the first week of a new so-so show. The stage manager went to the manager and asked for a raise.

"A raise?" ejaculated the manager. "For what? You haven't much to do. Half the time you are merely standing in the wings listening to the play!"

"I know," was the retort, "that's just it."

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Broadway Rose, a pathetic character, who haunts the Main Artery, may usually be found outside Lindy's waiting for the radio and stage folk every night. The boys rarely fail her with coin.

The other night she was seated at a nearby soda fountain and her lusty tones annoyed the manager, who had to summon a cop.

"I don't wish you any hard luck," she said as the officer escorted her outside, "but I hope you marry a dame like me!"

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Over at the Lambs Club recently, a group of once-upon-a-timers were swapping shop talk. One of them told of the long struggle Frank Bacon went through before he was embraced by success.

On the night "Lightnin'" opened at the Gaiety a crowded house got restless waiting for the curtain to lift. It was 9 o'clock and Bacon was taking his time making up. John Golden, the producer, rushed backstage.

"Good heavens, man," he said, "do you realize you've kept a Broadway audience waiting 30 minutes?"

"That's nothing," softly replied the actor, "they've kept me waiting 30 years."

# Jasper

By Frank Owen

"KICK OUT SOME MORE BOOKS, JASPER—THE PANCAKES ARE RUNNING LOW!"

### Cranberry Salad Ring

Four cups berries.
Two cups water.
Two cups granulated sugar.
Two tablespoons granulated gelatin.
One-third cup cold water.

Wash berries. Add two cups of water and cook slowly until soft. Add sugar and boil two minutes. Add gelatin which has soaked for five minutes in cold water. Pour into ring mold which has been rinsed out in cold water. Chill until firm. Unmold onto lettuce and fill center with holiday salad made with:

Two cups diced apples.
One cup seeded grapes.
Two-thirds cup diced celery.
One-half cup broken nuts.
One-eighth teaspoon salt.
One-half cup mayonnaise.
Chill ingredients. Combine.

### Beet and Celery Salad

Scrub beets with a brush and then cook until tender, saving the red water from them. Remove skins and chop finely into tiny cubes. Add an equal amount of chopped celery. Season two cups of beet water with a little sugar, vinegar, cloves and cinnamon. Bring to a boil and add one tablespoon gelatin dissolved in a little cold water. Pour over beets and celery and set in small molds to harden. Serve on crisp lettuce with slices of green pepper across the top and mayonnaise in the center. A pretty and delicious salad.

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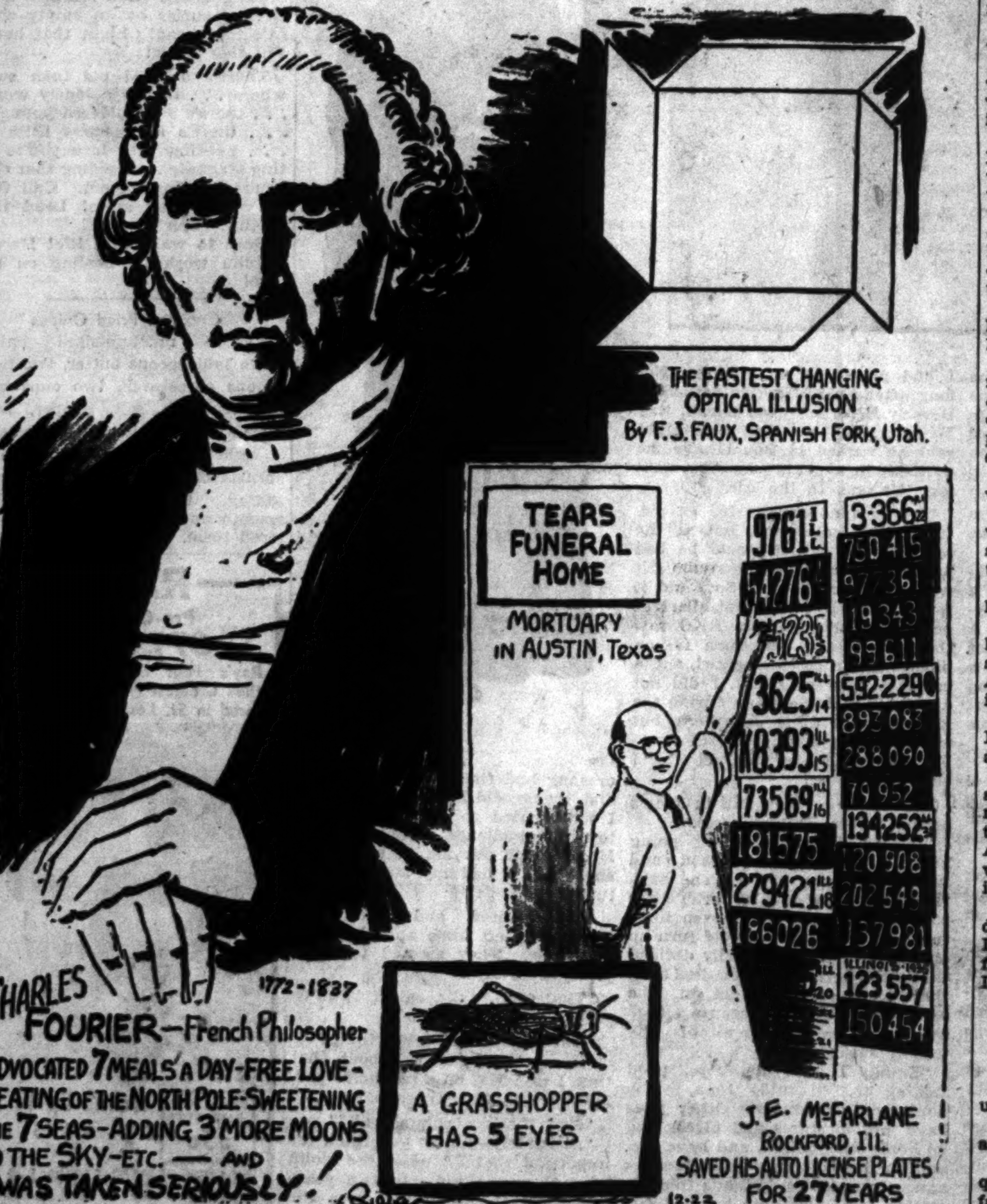
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Charles Fourier, (1772-1837) French philosopher, founded an important school of philosophy based on these principles: Heating of the two poles, sweetening of the seven seas, adding three more moons to the satellite of the earth, free love, ample education of children at the cost of the group, not less than seven meals a day and a round of drama, opera, music and all the joyous things of life, thus making it possible for men to attain an average of 144 years and a height of seven feet. He had a large following and played a most important part in the pre-socialist movement in Europe, as well as in the United States. For 25 years straight, without ever missing a single day, he would return to his house at the stroke of 12, to wait two hours for the capitalists of the world to come to him with the proposition to put his theories to the practical test, and he waited in vain all his life until the very day of his death.

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# Students Hold Mosaic Laws Need Revision

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By Temple Bailey

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Scrub beets with a brush and then cook until tender, saving the red water from them. Remove skins and chop finely into tiny cubes. Add an equal amount of chopped celery. Season two cups of beet water with a little sugar, vinegar, cloves and cinnamon. Bring to a boil and add one tablespoon gelatin dissolved in a little cold water. Pour over beets and celery and set in small molds to harden. Serve on crisp lettuce with slices of green pepper across the top and mayonnaise in the center. A pretty and delicious salad.

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| A. G. Bartlett Pears CHOICE SYRUP | NO. 2½ CAN | 23c |
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| A. G. FANCY QUALITY Apple Sauce | NO. 2 CAN | 10c |
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# PHOTOGRAPHS SENT AS STARS' GREETINGS

### Sophie Tucker's Christmas List of 9200 Is the Largest.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

HOLLYWOOD, Cal., Dec. 22. — Uncle Sam, who reaps a fortune annually from the huge earnings of the screen stars, is getting a smaller, but sizeable, cut from them. It's for postage stamps.

Christmas is here and greeting cards, in greater numbers than ever before, are pouring into the mail boxes. There are all kinds of cards, ingenious and otherwise, costing from 10 to 75 cents each.

With no competitor in sight, the season's record for volume goes to Sophie Tucker. She's sending out an even 9200, greatest mass production of any movie celebrity in history.

The average of the top flight stars this year is from 700 to 1000 with from 400 to 500 for the lesser lights of the cinema.

Miss Tucker's cards are printed like a newspaper, with her face superimposed,and below the photograph is the inscription, "It's not news, but Merry Christmas anyhow."

Most unusual of all are the greetings of Gladys Swarthout, opera star, and her baritone husband, Frank Chapman. They are sending phonograph records on which they sing a Christmas carol.

**None for Garbo.**

The Bing Crosby's card shows a musical scale, with the faces of Bing, Mrs. Bing and their three little ones. And then there is another note, with the inscription "me too." That's for the new little Crosby who's on the way.

Greta Garbo is sending no greeting cards.

Shirley Temple is sending out pictures of herself singing a Christmas carol. Another child star, Jane Withers, probably is using the smallest cards, which shows two little lambs gamboling on the green.

Alice Faye, recent bride, has submerged her screen name to appear in greetings as "Mr. and Mrs. Tony Martin."

Robert Montgomery's card shows a picture of his new home. Myrna Loy is sending an etching of her Lake Arrowhead cabin covered with snow.

**Cecil B. de Mille's Selection.**

Cecil B. de Mille's card shows a fighting frigate and under it is radio salutation "Greetings from Hollywood."

Leo Carrillo is sending a card which unfolds and unfolds and then unfolds some more, each disclosing a new wish of happiness and prosperity.

A white card with a bar of music will convey Virginia Bruce's message.

Director W. S. Van Dyke will use a simple method, taking the cards sent to him, writing a greeting across the back and returning them.

Warren William's card is in gold, with a holly wreath.

Peter Lorre will write 50 personal letters to his closest friends so each may have individual good wishes for the season.

Eleanor Powell, who expects to be on the high seas, will radio her friends.

Many of the stars will send telegrams. Among them are Joan Crawford, Clark Gable, Spencer Tracy, William Powell and Gregory Ratoff.

Simple cards, with the shortest forms of greetings, are being sent by Bette Davis, Frank Lloyd, Randolph Scott, Gracie Allen and George Burns, Lee Bowman, Carole Lombard, Ray Milland, Martha Raye, Errol Flynn, George Raft, Sonja Henie, Tyrone Power, Arthur Treacher, Michael Whalen, Una Merkel, Dorothy Lamour and Fred MacMurray.

### On Pronouncing "Tovarich."

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

HOLLYWOOD, Cal., Dec. 22.—A group of players were arguing about the title "Tovarich." "It's a good title," George Brent said. "It's a fine title for the big cities. But they won't be able to pronounce it in Waukegan." "I don't see why not," said Humphrey Bogart. "They can pronounce 'Waukegan.'" The pronunciation, by the way, is "Toe-VAR-ish."

### Arliss Back in Hollywood.

By the Associated Press.

HOLLYWOOD, Cal., Dec. 22.—George Arliss, vetefan English actor, came to moviedom's capital yesterday—for a year's rest. "It's my holiday—it's the first time I've refused to work,' he said.

# WOMEN INVADE FIELD OF SCREEN COMEDY

### More Entertainers and Writers From Fair Sex Than Ever Before.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

HOLLYWOOD, Cal., Dec. 22.—The ladies, in case you haven't noticed, are closely contesting another field which until now always has been more or less the province of the male. They're coming to the forefront in the comedy department of motion pictures.

Never before in the history of the industry have there been so many "boxoffice" comediennes as there are today. Just check the list. Beatrice Lillie, England's "queen of satire," is back in pictures after a seven-year absence, co-starring with Bing Crosby in "Doctor Rhythm," and that lady is tough competition for any male comic. Martha Raye, Judy Canova, Mary Livingstone, Jan Duggan, Joan Davis and little Jane Withers all have come up within the past couple of years.

Then there are Gracie Allen, Mary Boland, Carole Lombard, Myrna Loy, Fanny Brice, Alice Brady, Laura Hope Crews, Claudette Colbert, Miriam Hopkins, Constance Bennett, Una Merkel, Irene Dunne, Joan Blondell, Glenda Farrell, Rosalind Russell, Ginger Rogers, Mae West, Nydia Westman, Edna May Oliver and Billie Burke.

So much for the acting end of the business—although that list isn't offered as a complete one, by any means.

Any producer will tell you that Dorothy Parker is one of the best writers of screen comedy in the business—if you can get her. Others in the top rank are Edna Ferber, Anita Loos, Vina Delmar, Tess Slesinger, Bella Spewack, Eve Green, Virginia Van Upp, Adele Buffington, Gertrude Berg and Viola Brothers Shore.

Reason for this sudden rise of women in the field of comedy is, of course, purely guesswork, but Ted Lesser, head of the Paramount talent department, thinks radio may have had something to do with it. He points out that Martha Raye, Judy Canova, Mary Livingstone and Gracie Allen first won fame on the air lanes, while Beatrice Lillie reached a vast majority of new fans for the first time through the same medium.

"Anyway, comedy is the trend now," says Lesser, "perhaps due to prosperous times. We can't predict trends accurately; many times we can't explain them. All we can do is keep aware of public tastes and climb on the bandwagon."

# MOVIE ON MEDICAL FAKERS

### Warner Bros. to Have Co-operation of Dr. Morris Fishbein.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

HOLLYWOOD, Cal., Dec. 22. — With the full co-operation of the American Medical Association, which has expressed great interest in the production, Warner Bros. have begun preparations for a motion picture exposing medical fakers and quacks, based upon an original story by William Rankin and Eleanor Griffin. The authors will leave Hollywood soon for Chicago to gather additional material for the picture, and will be assisted in their research by Dr. Morris Fishbein, editor of the Journal of the American Medical Association.

The Burbank (Cal.) studios plan to make the picture one of the most important of their 1937-38 schedule and Jack L. Warner, vice-president in charge of production, and Hal Wallis, his associate executive, will personally supervise its production. Shooting on the picture is expected to get under way late in February or early in March.

### Brice "Baby Snooks" in Picture.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

HOLLYWOOD, Cal., Dec. 22. — "Snooks," the baby, as presented by Fanny Brice over the air recently, will be brought to the screen. Following success of the character, decision was made to have Miss Brice do a number in this characterization in "Everybody Sing."

# HILL-DWELLING FILM ACTORS CONSIDER SLIDE INSURANCE

### "Moving Mountain" in Los Angeles Park Raises a New Problem.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

HOLLYWOOD, Cal., Dec. 22. — Los Angeles' "moving mountain" of Elysian Park has brought a new consideration to Hollywood's insurance-minded motion picture stars, many of whom are hilltop dwellers. First to seek protection from similar natural phenomena is Adolphe Menjou, who has applied to Lloyds of London for $150,000 insurance against "moving terrain" damage to his Los Feliz Heights estate.

Menjou, who has been on vacation in New York, returned to Hollywood for added scenes of "The Goldwyn Follies" just when Elysian Park's restless mountain was filling newspaper headlines with its strange and peril fraught performance. He immediately investigated the possibility of obtaining insurance against landslide damage, declaring he found no American companies carried such policies he applied to Lloyds'.

While the Menjou home is built upon decomposed granite which appears as permanent as time itself, the star wants to take no chances. After all, no one expected the Elysian Park mountain to start coming apart. Should others of Hollywood's several hundred hill and mountain top dwellers follow Menjou's lead it may mean a new type of insurance policy for all the major companies.

### Movie Time Table

**AMBASSADOR** — "True Confession," starring Carole Lombard, Fred MacMurray and John Barrymore, at 12:04, 3:07, 6:10 and 9:13; "She Married an Artist," featuring John Boles and Luli Deste, at 10:30, 1:33, 4:36, 7:39 and 10:42.

**FOX**—"The Barrier," featuring Leo Carrillo, Jean Parker and James Ellison, at 12:50, 3:40, 6:35 and 9:35; "West of Shanghai," starring Boris Karloff, at 11:20, 2:15, 5:10 and 8:10.

**LOEW'S** — Leslie Howard and Joan Blondell, in "Stand-In," at 10:04, 1:08, 4:12, 7:16 and 10:20; "Thoroughbreds Don't Cry," featuring Mickey Rooney and Ronald Sinclair at 11:42, 2:46, 5:50 and 8:54.

**MISSOURI**—Gary Cooper and George Raft, in "Souls at Sea," with Frances Dee, at 12:30, 3:30, 6:30 and 9:35; "Forty Naughty Girls," featuring James Gleason and Zasu Pitts, at 2:05, 5:05 and 8:05.

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11:20-2:15-5:10-8:10
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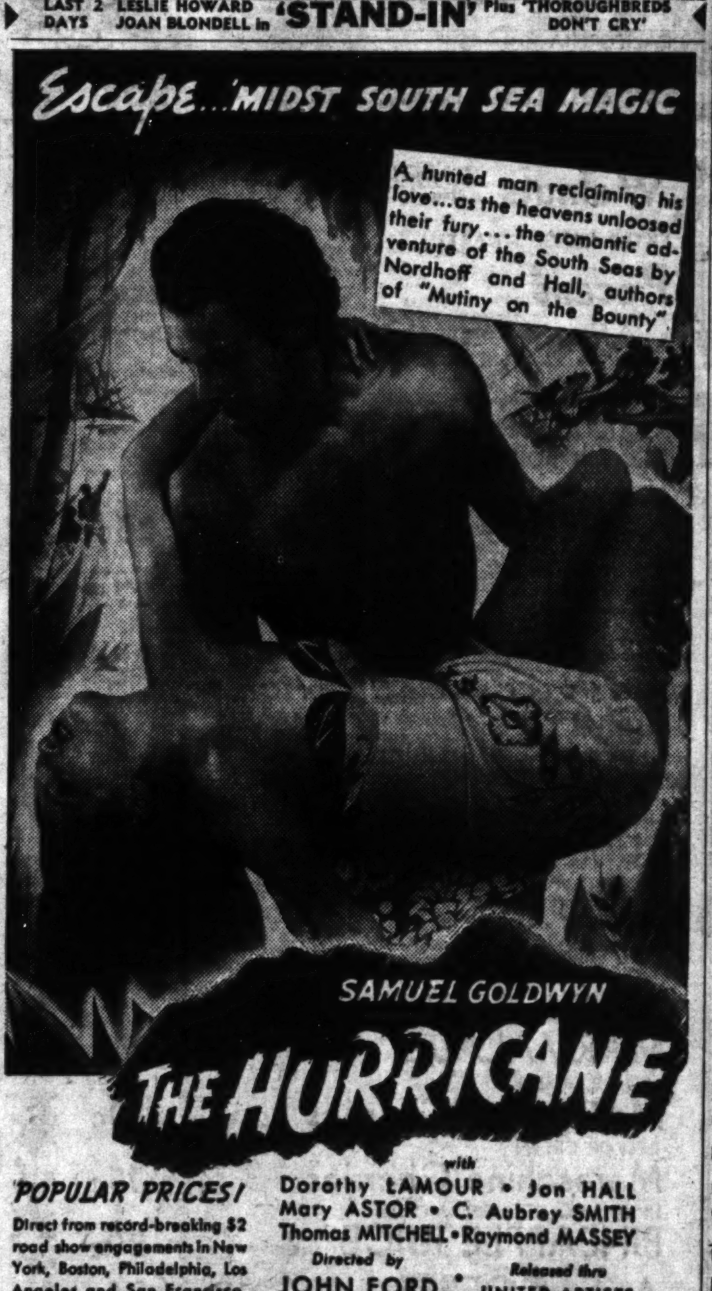

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**BEVERLY** 7740 Olive St. Rd. — Alice Faye, 'You Can't Have Everything.' Antony Martin, 'Sing & Be Happy'
**BRIDGE** 4469 Nat. Bridge — 10c & 20c. Dinnerware to Ladies. Pat O'Brien, 'San Quentin,' & 'Hotel Haywire.'
**COMPTON** 3145 Park — Sugar and Creamers to Ladies. Open 5:30. 'President's Mystery,' 'Midnight Madonna'
**FAIRY** 5640 Easton — 2 Dishes at 1 Time. Glenda Farrell, 'Fly Away Baby.' D. Purcell, 'Public Wedding.'
**GEM** St. Johns — M. Lindsay, J. Dean, 'SONG OF THE CITY.' Lewis Stone, 'MAN WHO CRIED WOLF.'
**HI-WAY** 2705 N. 15th — 'BEHIND THE MIKE' William Gargan JUDITH BARRETT, 'PARK AVENUE LOGGER,' GEO. O'BRIEN.
**Ivanhoe** 3239 Ivanhoe — Bargain Nite. Ann Shirley, John Morley, 'TOO MANY WIVES.' Marian Marsh, 'GREAT GAMBINI.' News, Musical Cartoon
**King Bee** 1710 N. Jefferson — Edw. E. Horton, 'MAN IN THE MIRROR.' Fred Scott, 'Fighting Deputy.'
**KIRKWOOD** Kirkwood, Mo. — 'Shadows of the Orient,' Esther Ralston. 'Flying Fists,' J. F. MacDonald.
**LEMAY** 318 LEMAY FERRY ROAD — Roland Young, 'King Solomon's Mines.' C. Farrell, 'Falling in Love.'
**Macklind** 5416 Arsenal — Herman Brix, 'Two Minutes to Play,' Frankie Darrow 'Black Gold.' 15c.
**Marquette** 1806 Franklin — 'Small Town Girl,' Janet Gaynor, R. Taylor. Also 'Glory Trail,' Tom Keene.
**McNAIR** and Pestalozzi — China. G. Stuart, M. Whalen, 'THE LADY ESCAPES.' R. Pryor, W. Barre, 'TICKET TO PARADISE.' Cartoon, Musical.
**MELVIN** 2912 Chippewa — Chinaware, Gloria Stuart, 'Lady Escapes.' Chester Morris, 'I Promise to Pay.'
**NEW SHENANDOAH** 2227 S. B'way — Ricardo Cortez, 'CALIFORNIAN' and 'FIGHT TO A FINISH.' Dishes.
**OSAGE** Kirkwood, Mo — Joan Crawford, Clark Gable, 'Dancing Lady.' Wallace Beery, 'The Big House.'
**OVERLAND** Woodson Rd. — R. Young, A. Sothern, 'Dangerous Number.' E. Nugent, 'A Man Betrayed.'
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**Ashland** 3520 Newstead — 'I Am a Fugitive From a Chain Gang,' Paul Muni, and 'Lady Fights Back.'
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At 5 p. m., "Santa Claus Comes to Town."

At 5:15 p. m., Associated Press News; George Hall's orchestra.

At 5:30 p. m., "Charlie Chan," sketch.

At 5:45 p. m., Little Orphan Annie, serial.

At 6 p. m., Amos and Andy.

At 6:15 p. m., Xavier Cugat's orchestra.

At 6:30 p. m., Alistair Cooke, commentator.

At 6:45 p. m., "The Alpine Inn" program; Basin Street Blues; June Curran and Russ David's orchestra.

At 7 p. m., One Man's Family, preparing for Christmas with all the atmosphere of tree trimming, making popcorn balls, candy-pulling and furtive package wrapping.

At 7:30 p. m., Wayne King's orchestra.

At 8 p. m., Town Hall Tonight; Fred Allen, Portland Hoffa, and Jack Benny; Peter Van Steeden's orchestra.

At 9 p. m., "Your Hollywood Parade" program, with Dick Powell as master of ceremonies; Stoopnagle and Budd; Herbert Marshall, screen star; Betty and Bobby Moloch; Billy Halop and Leo Gorcey; Rosemary Lane, and Leo Forbstein's orchestra.

At 9:59 p. m., Weather Report; sign off.

At 11 p. m., Eddy Varzo's orchestra.

At 11:30 p. m., Lights Out, mystery drama, "Uninhabited."

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St. Louis stations broadcast on the following channels: KSD, 550 kc.; KMOX, 1090 kc.; KWK, 1350 kc.; WIL, 1200 kc.; WEW, 750 kc.; KFUO, 550 kc.

12:00 Noon KSD—ASSOCIATED PRESS NEWS; "GRACE AND EDDIE," sketch.
KWK—Farm and Home Hour program. WIL—Luncheon Party. WEW—News. KMOX—Betty and Bob.
W9XPD (31.6 meg.) — Dick Fidler's orchestra.

12:10 KSD—MARKET REPORTS.

12:15 KFUO—Message, Rev. H. H. Wilhelm, music. KMOX—Betty Crocker. WEW—Markets.

12:30 KMOX—Arnold Grimm's Daughter. KWK—Organ Melodies. WIL—Today's Styles. WEW—Man on the Street. KFUO—Organ recital.

12:45 KSD—LUNCHEON DANCE MUSIC. KMOX—Hollywood in Person. KWK—Just Around the Corner Club. WIL—Harmony Hall. WEW—Vocal Varieties.
W9XPD (31.6 meg.) — Dan Harding's Wife.

1:00 KSD—ASSOCIATED PRESS NEWS. KMOX—News Through a Woman's Eyes. KWK — Carson Robinson's Buckaroos. WEW—Luncheon Dance. WIL—Headlines of the Air.
W9XPD (31.6 meg.) — "Your Health."

1:05 KSD—RUSS DAVID'S ORCHESTRA, with Allen Clark, baritone, and Mary Carolyn Henry, soprano.

1:15 KMOX — Hope Alden's Romance. KWK — Concert. WIL — Organ Melodies. WEW—Ralph Stein, pianist.

1:30 KSD—JUDY AND JANE. KMOX—Christmas Carol Festival by Syracuse School. KWK—Press news; music. WIL—Opportunity program. WEW—Market report.
W9XPD (31.6 meg.)—Carlile and London.

1:45 KSD—MEN OF THE WEST, quartet.
KWK—Advice to the Lovelorn, Beatrice Fairfax. WEW — American Family Robinson.

1:55 KSD—GENE AUSTIN, song stylist.

2:00 KSD—PEPPER YOUNG'S FAMILY, sketch.
WIL—Police releases. WEW—Memory Lane. KMOX—Magic Kitchen. KWK — Just Around the Corner Club.

2:15 KSD—MA PERKINS, sketch.
WIL—Neighborhood program.

2:30 KSD—VIC AND SADE, sketch.
KMOX — Jenny Peabody. KWK — Siesta Time. WIL — Drama of Life. WEW—Jack Norder's Playmates.

2:45 KSD—THE O'NEILLS, serial.
KMOX—Josephine Halpin. KWK—This Woman's World, Meredith Mason. WIL—Swing Sextet.

3:00 KFUO—Shut-in Hour, Rev. C. F. Lehenbauer; music. WIL—Jerre Cammack, organist. KMOX — Kitty Keane. CBS Chain—Curtis Institute of Music quartet. KWK—Just Around the Corner Club. WEW—Melodic Musings.

3:15 KMOX—Houseboat Hannah. WIL—Front Page Drama. WEW—Zeke Manners and His Gang.

3:30 WIL—Dansapation. KFUO — Here and There. WEW — Sweethearts' Serenade. KMOX — Singin' Sam. KWK—National Congress of Parents and Teachers.

3:45 KSD—MUSIC HALL VARIETIES.
WIL—Hughesreel. KMOX—Dr. Allan Roy Dafoe. WEW—Arthur Jones, singer.

4:00 WIL—Let's Dance. KMOX—"Follow the Moon," serial. WEW—Tea Dansant. KWK—Neighbor Nell; Irma Glenn, organist.
W9XPD (31.6 meg.)—Not the Ladies.

4:15 KSD—JEAN CARMEN, singer.
WIL—Cub Reporter. KMOX—"Life of Mary Sothern," sketch. KWK—"Don Winslow of the Navy."

4:30 KSD—THE VAGABONDS, male quartet.

### ON SHORT WAVES

PROGRAMS listed for today on short-wave stations include:

1:30 p. m.—Xmas Pantomime, JTJ, Johannesburg, 609 meg.

3:45 p. m.—Toyo Mixed Orchestra, JZJ, Tokio, 9.53 meg.

4 p. m.—From the Oratorio, "The Four Seasons," by Josef Haydn. DJD, Berlin, 11.77 meg.

5:20 p. m.—The Central Band of His Majesty's Royal Air Force, GSP, London, 15.31 meg.; GSD, 11.75 meg.; GSB, 9.51 meg.

5:45 p. m.—German Christmas Carols, DJD, Berlin, 11.77 meg.

6 p. m.—"Forgotten Hungarian Opera Music"; HAT4, Budapest, 9.12 meg.

6:35 p. m.—News in English, talk; soloist, 2RO, Rome, 9.63 meg.

7 p. m.—An American Visits a Training Camp, DJD, Berlin, 11.77 meg.

7:30 p. m.—Consuelo de Alvares, singer. YV5RC, Caracas, 5.8 meg.

8 p. m.—Technical Talk by Sir Noel Ashbridge, Chief Engineer of the BBC, GSD, London, 11.75 meg.; GSC, 9.58 meg.; GSB, 9.51 meg.

9 p. m.—Concert, TPA4, Paris, 11.72 meg.

11:45 p m.—Topics of the Moment, JZK, Tokio, 15.16 meg.

### ON KSD.

**News Broadcasts** — 8 a. m., 8:40, 11 a. m. and 12 noon, 1 p. m. and 5:15 p. m.

**Market Reports**—12:10 p. m.

**Weather Reports**—8:30 a. m. and 9:59 p. m.

**Time**—At 11 a. m. and intervals between programs.

WIL—Headlines of the Air. KMOX—"The Fun Quiz." WEW—World news. KWK—Just Around the Corner Club.

4:45 KSD — "YOUNG AMERICA SPEAKS"; interview with Central High School pupils.
KMOX—Hilltop House. WIL—Organalities. KWK—Jam session.

5:00 KSD—"SANTA CLAUS COMES TO TOWN," program.
KMOX—Linda's First Love. KWK—Junior Nurse Corps, skit. WIL—Rhythm.

5:15 KSD—ASSOCIATED PRESS NEWS; Weather report. Georg's Hall's orchestra.
KMOX—Lady of Millions. KWK—Santa Claus. WIL—Santa Claus.

5:30 KSD—"CHARLIE CHAN," sketch.
KMOX—Jack Armstrong. KWK—Coyita Bunch and Allan Dale, soloists. WIL—Speed Gibson.
W9XPD (31.6 meg.)—Press News. Joan Edwards.

5:45 KSD — LITTLE ORPHAN ANNIE, serial.
KWK—Tom Mix Straight Shooters. WIL—Club Cabana. KMOX—Air Adventures of Jimmy Allen.

6:00 KSD—AMOS AND ANDY.
KMOX—News. KWK—Easy Aces. WIL—Dinner Dance Time.

6:15 KSD—XAVIER CUGAT'S ORCHESTRA.
KMOX—Sports Reporter. KWK—"Mr. Keene, Tracer of Lost Persons," drama. WIL—Music.

6:30 KSD—ALISTAIR COOKE, commentator.
KWK—Sport Review; Press News. KMOX—Glen Gray's orchestra. WIL—Musical Sports Review.

6:45 KSD—"THE ALPINE INN" PROGRAM.
KMOX — Boake Carter. KWK—Music.

7:00 KSD—ONE MAN'S FAMILY.
KMOX — Cavalcade of America, drama; Conrad Thibault, baritone; Don Voorhees orchestra. KWK—Eddy Duchin's orchestra. WIL—The Round Up.

7:15 WIL—Mr. Fixit.

7:30 KSD—WAYNE KING'S ORCHESTRA.
KMOX—Eddie Cantor, Deanna Durbin and Jacques Renard's orchestra. WIL—Music. KWK—Hollywood News, Sid Skolsky.

7:45 KWK—Concert. WIL—Rhythmizers.

8:00 KSD—"TOWN HALL TONIGHT," program with Fred Allen and Portland Hoffa; Peter Van Steeden's orchestra.
KMOX—Soloist, Lily Pons, soprano, and Andre Kostelanetz's orchestra. KWK—Just Around the Corner Club. WIL—Talk.

8:15 WIL—Swingtime.

8:30 WIL—Smoke Rings. CBS Chain—"The Mouse," drama. KWK — "Let's Visit."

8:45 WIL—Globe Trotters.

9:00 KSD—"YOUR HOLLYWOOD PARADE," Dick Powell.
KMOX—"Gang Busters." WIL — Today's Styles. KWK—Gen. Hugh S. Johnson, commentator.

9:15 WIL — Harlem Rhythm. KWK—Piano Portraits.

9:30 KMOX—"Hobby Lobby," Dave Elman and orchestra. KWK—Waltz Interlude. WIL—Sparklers.

9:45 WIL — Walkathon. KWK — Just Around the Corner Club.

9:59 KSD—WEATHER REPORT.

10:00 KMOX—Poetic Melodies. KWK — Sport Review. KFUO—Midweek Devotion Service, Rev. G. Naumann. Music.
W9XPD (31.6 meg.) — Amos and Andy.

10:15 KMOX — Paul Sabin's orchestra. KWK—Soloists. WIL—Swingtime.
W9XPD (31.6 meg.)—Joe Rines.

10:30 KFUO—Laymen's Hour, Rev. H. Klein; music. WIL—Rhythmizers. KWK—Press News; Just Around the Corner Club. KMOX—Tomorrow Morning's Headlines.

10:45 KMOX—Richard Himber's orchestra. WIL—Smoke Rings.

11:00 KSD—EDDIE VARZO'S ORCHESTRA.
WIL—Plantation Rhythm. KWK—Ran Wilde's orchestra. KMOX—Pappy Cheshire's Band.

11:15 WIL—Melody Parade. KWK—Guy Lombardo's orchestra.

11:30 KSD — "LIGHTS OUT," mystery drama.
KMOX—Jay Mills' orchestra. KWK—Herbie Kay's orchestra. WIL—This Rhythmic Age.

11:45 WIL—Dance orchestra.

12:00 Midnight. WIL — Dawn Patrol. KMOX—"Dancing Time."

12:15 a. m. KMOX—When Day Is Done.

### Informative Talks

6:45 KMOX—Boake Carter.
7:15 WIL—Mr. Fixit.
9:15 WENR (870) — "Unemployment Compensation in Illinois," Samuel C. Bernstein.
9:45 CBS Chain—"Collective Security—the Road to World Peace," Clarence A. Hathaway.

### Drama and Sketches

6:00 KSD—AMOS AND ANDY.
KWK—Easy Aces.
7:00 KSD—"ONE MAN'S FAMILY."
11:30 KSD—LIGHTS OUT.

### Radio Concerts

7:45 KWK—Concert.
8:00 KMOX—Soloist; Lily Pons, soprano, and Andre Kostelanetz's orchestra.
9:45 KWK—String Nocturne.

### Dance Music Tonight

7:30 KSD—WAYNE KING.
9:00 KSD—MARK WARNOW.
10:15 KMOX—Paul Sabin.
10:45 KMOX—Richard Himber.
11:00 KSD—EDDY VARZO.
KWK—Ran Wilde.
11:15 KWK—Guy Lombardo.
11:30 KMOX—Jay Mills. KWK—Herbie Kay.

### Daytime Tomorrow on Local Stations

5:30 a. m. KMOX—Home Folks program.

6:00 KWK — Early Birds. WEW—Musical Clock.

6:15 KMOX—Pappy Cheshire's Band.

6:45 KMOX—Market report; Home Folks.

7:00 KMOX—Travelogue. KWK—Swing Time. KFUO—Morning Meditation, Rev. W. Warneck; organ. WIL — Breakfast Club.

7:15 KMOX—Joe Du Mond and quartet. WEW—Sports Parade. KFUO — Hymns.

7:30 WEW—Day's Dedication. KFUO—Song Recital. KWK—Just Around the Corner Club.

7:45 KMOX—Let's Compare Notes. WEW—Musical Clock. KFUO — W P A program. KWK—Grady Cantrell.

8:00 KSD—ASSOCIATED PRESS NEWS.
KMOX—Views on News. WIL — Birthday Bells. WEW—News. KWK—Pep-up Parade.

8:10 KSD—HARRY RESER'S ORCHESTRA.

8:15 KSD—SUNSHINE EXPRESS PROGRAM.
KMOX—Ozark Varieties. WIL—Headlines of the Air. WEW—Musical Clock. KWK—Mrs. O'Brien's Boarding House.

8:30 KSD — WEATHER REPORT; SUNSHINE EXPRESS.
WIL—Opportunity program. KMOX—Melody Spinners. WEW—Airplane program. KWK—Radio's Candid Camera; Press News.

8:40 KSD—PRESS RADIO NEWS.

8:45 KSD—LANDT TRIO.
KMOX—Bachelor's Children.

9:00 KSD—MRS. WIGGS OF THE CABBAGE PATCH, serial.
KMOX—Pretty Kitty Kelly. WIL—Serenaders. KWK — Top of the morning. WEW—Clark Harris, talk.

9:15 KSD—JOHN'S OTHER WIFE, serial.
KMOX—Myrt and Marge. KWK—Just Around the Corner Club. WEW—Happiness program.

9:30 KFUO—Students' Chapel Devotion; music. KMOX—Comedy Kingdom. KWK—Monticello Party Line. WIL—Songs. WEW—Mother's Health Class.

9:45 KSD—TODAY'S CHILDREN, serial.
KMOX—Ma Perkins. KWK—Viennese Ensemble. WIL—Weather report; Harlem Rhythm. WEW — Market Reports.

10:00 KSD—DAVID HARUM, serial.
KMOX—Mary Lee Taylor. KWK—Good Morning From Cleveland. WIL—Sweet Music. WEW—Song Spotlight.

10:15 KSD—BACKSTAGE WIFE, serial.
KMOX—Carol Kennedy's Romance. KWK—Just Around the Corner Club. WIL—Headlines of the Air. WEW—Morning Melodies.

10:30 KSD — HOMEMAKERS' EXCHANGE, Eleanor Howe.
KMOX — Big Sister. KWK—Press News; Musical Interlude. WEW—We Live Again. WIL—Tune Tinkers.

10:45 KSD—COBWEBS AND CADENZAS.
KMOX—Aunt Jenny's Stories. WIL—Swing Serenade. WEW—Ralph Stein, pianist. KWK—The Morning After.

11:00 KSD—ARLINGTON TIME SIGNAL. Post-Dispatch Headlines; Dick Leibert, organist.
KMOX — One Woman's Opinion. KWK—Young Widder Jones. WIL—Dancing Moments. WEW — You Shall Have Rhythm.

11:10 KSD—DICK LEIBERT, organist.

11:15 KSD—MARIE HARRINGTON.
KMOX—Your News Parade, Edwin C. Hill. KWK—Rapid Service. WIL—Opportunity program. WEW — Tom Miles, soloist.

11:30 KSD—VINCENT CURRAN, singer.
WIL—W P A program. KMOX—Romance of Helen Trent. WEW—Dance Favorites. KWK—Farm and Home Hour.

11:45 KSD—THE THREE ROMEOS.
KMOX—Our Gal Sunday. WIL—Walkathon.

12:00 noon KSD—ASSOCIATED PRESS NEWS; Harry Reser's orchestra.
KMOX — Betty and Bob. WIL—Luncheon Party. WEW — World News.

12:10 KSD—MARKET REPORTS.

12:15 KMOX — Hymns of all Churches. WEW—Market Reports. KFUO—Services, Rev. H. H. Wilhelms; music.

12:30 KMOX — Arnold Grimm's Daughter. WIL—Today's Styles. KWK—Organ Melodies. WEW—Man on the Street.

12:45 KSD—LUNCHEON DANCE MUSIC.
KMOX—Hollywood in Person. KWK—Just Around the Corner Club. WIL—Smooth Sailing. WEW—Dance Orchestra.

1:00 KSD—ASSOCIATED PRESS NEWS:
KMOX—Inquiring Reporter. KWK—Concert Trio. WIL—Headlines of the Air; Musical Moments. WEW—Luncheon Club.

1:05 KSD—RUSS DAVID'S ORCHESTRA, with Ebony and Ivory, piano duo.

1:15 KMOX — Hope Alden's Romance. WIL—Jerre Cammack, organist. WEW—Ralph Stein, pianist.

1:30 KSD—JUDY AND JANE.
KWK—Press News; music. WIL—Opportunity program. WEW—Markets. KMOX—Broad Street Presbyterian Church Choir.

1:45 KSD—CONTRACT BRIDGE LESSON.
KWK—"Advice to the Lovelorn," Beatrice Fairfax. WEW—American Family Robinson.

2:00 KSD—PEPPER YOUNG'S FAMILY, serial.
KMOX — Magic Kitchen. KWK—Today at Two. WIL—Police releases. WEW—Memory Lane.

2:15 KSD—MA PERKINS, serial.
WIL—Neighborhood program. WEW—Piano Melodies.

2:30 KSD—VIC AND SADE, sketch.
KMOX—Magazine of the Air. KWK—Just Around the Corner Club. WIL—Dramas of Life. WEW—Jack Norder's program.

2:45 KSD—THE O'NEILLS, serial.
WIL—Shoe Shine Boys. KWK — Harold Turner, pianist.

3:00 KFUO—Woman's program; Poet's Corner; music. WIL—Jerre Cammack, organist. WEW — Melodic Musings. KMOX — Kitty Keene. KWK—Club Matinee.

3:15 WIL—Jungle Jim. KMOX—Houseboat Hannah. WEW — Hawaiian Dreams.

3:30 KMOX—Singin' Sam. WIL—Dansapation. WEW—Sweethearts' Serenade.

3:45 KSD—MELODIC MEMORIES.
WIL—In the Crimelight. KMOX—"Meet the Missus." WEW—Arthur Jones, singer.

4:00 WIL—Let's Dance. KMOX—"Follow the Moon," sketch. KWK—Just Around the Corner Club. WEW—Christmas Carols.

4:15 KSD—RHYTHMAIRES.
WIL — Cub Reporters. KMOX—"Life of Mary Sothern," serial. KWK—Don Winslow of the Navy.

4:30 KSD — THE VAGABONDS, male quartet.
KMOX — 'Fun Quiz.' WEW — World News. WIL—Headlines of the Air. KWK—Harry Kogen's Orchestra.

4:45 KSD — CAREFUL CHILDREN'S CLUB.
KMOX — Hilltop House. WIL—Organalities. KWK—Al Sarli's Jam Session.

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## Longer Hair on Way Back, Says Beauty Expert

### By Helen Jameson

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FORECASTING the ways of woman and what she will do with her tresslocks is a hazardous occupation. But it does seem safe to predict that pigtail material will be more and more in the making. We've been bobbed for 12 or 13 years and that's a long time for a style to flourish. Not that short hair will disappear. Not a bit of it. But longer hair is on the way. When it gets tiresome we'll gallop to the chopping block and be shorn.

Front and sides, hair remains fairly short. The idea is to be rid of that bothersome business of keeping rear locks in curl. Every woman who has three inches of wool, is hanging onto it, wondering how long a time it will be before she has twin pigtails to make a hirsute circle for her noble head.

There are various ways of struggling through the transition period. The hair can be done in an upward roll, which isn't a new or novel arrangement, we must admit. The whole rear portion can have a middle part, each side folded in a roll that extends from above the temple down over the ear. If one prefers, the back parting can be at one side.

A third means of disposing of raggedy rear ends is to turn them under, sporting the page boy coiffure. With this style there is usually a high upward roll in front, a roll on either side. We're certainly doing a lot of rolling these days. A relief from ringlets. Any change is good for the spirits and the circulatory system. Though our best reporting ear is at the ground, we hear no grumbling about new fashions.

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THE upward trend is marked. When hair is four or five inches long at the back it can be held up with a comb, ends circled in sculptured curls, pinned flat to the scalp. They tuck into the crown of the hair, seldom get scrambled.

It is a surprise to some of us to see hairpins kicking round the beauty box. Time was when there wasn't a hairpin to be found, no matter how urgent the need of one. The old hairbrush is being brought to light. You can't make smooth rolls without one.

Upped effects can be got with short hair by pinning flat each curl instead of giving it its freedom.

Simplicity of effect is the high cry. Every hairdress seems to be an individual project. Hair-cutting has become intricate. You choose the style of coiffure you desire to set off your fatal beauty, hair is cut to order. Each puff calls for snipping.

The finger wave is hanging on by the skin of its teeth. One little push by Madame Fashion, and that will be the last of it. For a time, anyhow.

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### Hawaiian Gingerbread

Will answer nicely for an enjoyable dessert. Bake gingerbread in sheets and cut in circles. Top with a slice of Hawaiian pineapple heated in its own juice and drained. Cover generously with slightly sweetened whipped cream and serve immediately.

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Small bits of cheese may be grated over the tops of biscuits before baking. It gives a piquant flavor and a lovely rich color to the biscuits.

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**Toonerville Folks**—By Fontaine Fox (Copyright, 1937.)

THE TOONERVILLE TROLLEY HAS MORE PACKAGES LEFT ON THE CAR DURING CHRISTMAS WEEK THAN MOST LINES DURING THE ENTIRE YEAR
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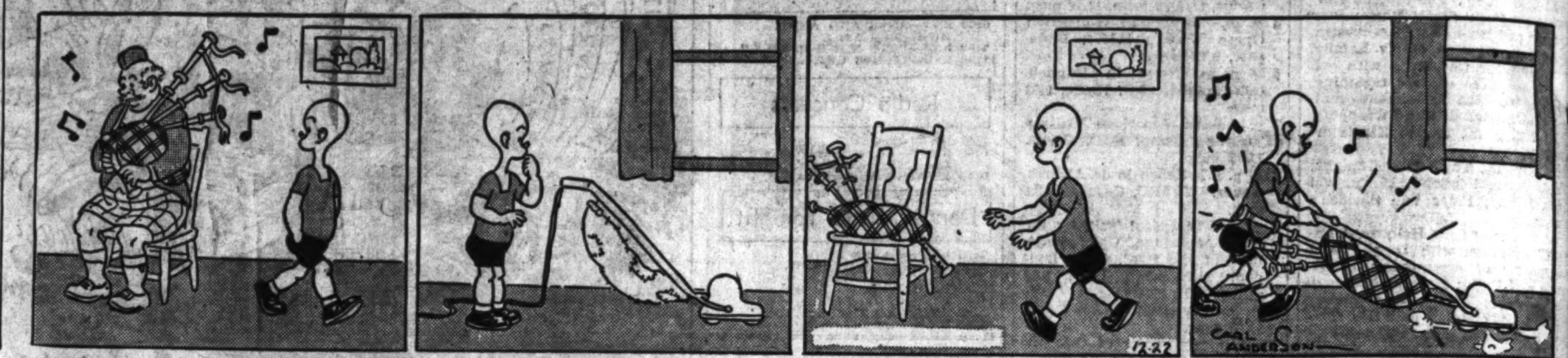
"AND PLEASE DON'T STOP WITH 'EM TILL THE NINE O'CLOCK RUN —AFTER THE CHILDREN HAVE GONE TO BED!"
F. FOX

**Popeye**—By Segar *Something to Remember* (Copyright, 1937.)

THE IDEAR - TRYIN' TO KILL A GOON FOR EATIN' PURPOSES
AS I SAID BEFORE, THERE ARE THOUSANDS OF GOONS, BUT ONLY ONE WIMPY
WELL, THA'S AS IT SHOULD BE - JUS' SUSPOSE THEY WAS ONE GOON AN' THOUSANDS OF WIMPYS - THINK HOW ARFUL THAT WOULD BE
SIR, I DO NOT UNDERSTAND YOUR TYPE OF HUMOR
IF WE GET THE GOONS MAD AT US, IT'LL BE JUS' TOO BAD
YA GOT TO REMEMBER THAT WE'LL BE ON THIS ISLAND THE REST OF OUR LIVES
THAT'S RIGHT, JEEP; KEEP POINTING TOWARD WHERE POPEYE IS
JEEP, JEEP
12.22
SEGAR

**Henry**—By Carl Anderson (Copyright, 1937.)



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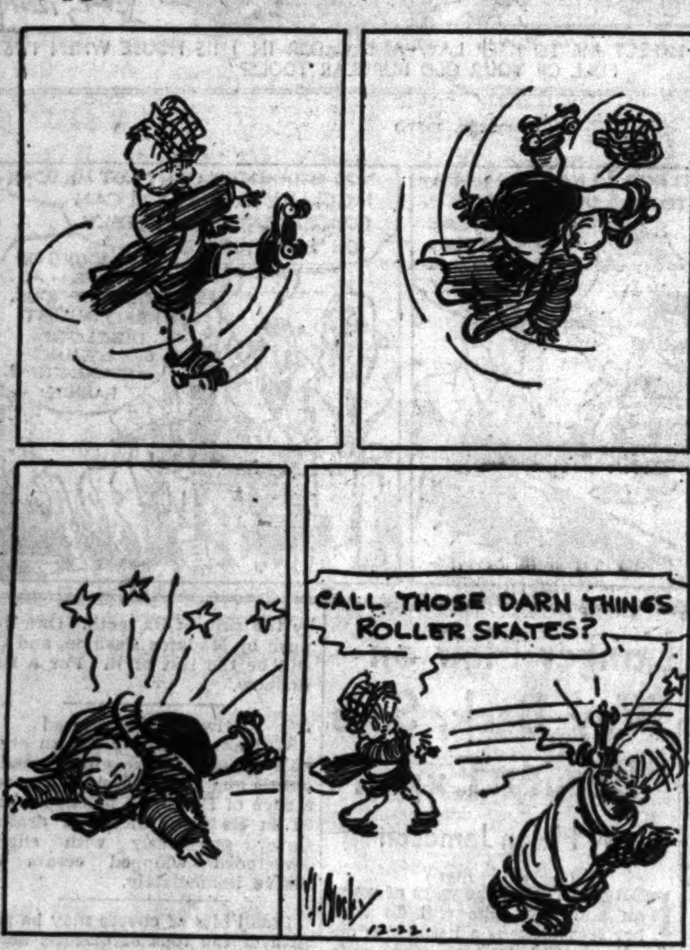
CALL THOSE DARN THINGS ROLLER SKATES?
P. L. Crosby
12-22.

**Big Chief Wahoo**—By Saunders and Woggon *Just Soft-Hearted* (Copyright, 1937.)

ALL I'M SUGGESTING, CHIEF, IS THAT YOU BUY SUPER STUDIOS FROM THE UNION BANK!
NOPE!
12-22
WITH MY GIFT FOR SHOWMANSHIP, I COULD MAKE MINNIE HA-CHA THE GREATEST STAR OF OUR ERA!
NOPE!
AND NOTHING GONNA CHANGE WAHOO'S MIND!
BUT, CHIEF! LOOK AT MINNIE!
WOG
HEAP HECK! SQUAWS' TEARS MAKE MORE TROUBLE THAN RIVER ON RAMPAGE!
THANKS, CHIEF! YOU NOW HAVE SUPER STUDIOS AND MY DEEPEST SYMPATHY!
UNION BANK
DEED
A SUCKER AGAIN! WAHOO HAS SUNK HIS ENTIRE BANKROLL IN A STUDIO THE SHERIFF WAS ABOUT TO CLOSE!

**Li'l Abner**—By Al Capp *A Right Royal Welcome* (Copyright, 1937.)

WHILE THE VAST CROWD WAITS—
I'M RESPONSIBLE FOR THEIR DEATHS!—I TOLD 'EM THE CAR THEY WERE TO RIDE IN CONTAINED THE PERFORMING DOGS—B-BUT I PUT THE WILD HIPPOS—THE RHINOS, AND THE MAN-EATING TIGERS IN THERE INSTEAD!
WILL IT BE SAFE TO OPEN THE DOOR?
Y-YES!—THE ANIMALS ARE ALWAYS PEACE-FUL AFTER THEY'VE EATEN—AND I CAN'T HEAR A SOUND FROM INSIDE!!
12-22
HOWDY FOLKS!—THET SHO' WERE A INJOYABLE RIDE!
—ONLY THEM PER-FORMIN' DAWGS WAS MOST PEE-KOOLYAR LOOKIN'—THEY TRIED T'PLAY ROUGH, SO AH HAD T'SMACK 'EM AROUN' A LI'L!
GREAT SCOTT!—THOSE SAVAGE JUNGLE BEASTS ARE ALL COWERING IN A CORNER!
THET WERE QUITE A NIGHT YO' HAD WIF TH' BEARS, EH, PAPPY?
HERE COMES THE CROWD!—?-?-?—I DON'T LIKE THE WAY THEY'RE SHOUTING!
Al Capp

**Jane Arden**—By Monte Barrett and Russell Ross
(Copyright, 1937.)

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TRAPPED BY BLACKMAILERS, THREATENED WITH RUIN, WANDA HAS PROMISED TO PAY THEM $95,000 MORE WITHIN A WEEK!
WHAT'S WRONG, WANDA? CAN'T YOU PUT A LITTLE LIFE AND FIRE INTO THIS SCENE?
I'M SORRY, LES—I'LL TRY!
SOMETHING'S WRONG WITH WANDA—I'VE NEVER SEEN HER LIKE THIS BEFORE!
I MUST GET HOLD OF MYSELF—BUT I'M HALF CRAZY WITH WORRY AND FRIGHT—
WHAT IF THESE BLACKMAILERS GIVE THAT PICTURE TO THE PAPERS? I'LL BE RUINED—AND IT CAN'T EVEN BE MY PICTURE—
WANDA! WANDA! HAVE YOU GONE TO SLEEP? YOU MISSED YOUR CUE AND RUINED THAT SCENE!

**The Bungle Family**—By Harry J. Tuthill *Go Get 'Em, Inspectors!* (Copyright, 1937.)

SO! TWO DAY AGO BORIS AND ME GET ORDER TO TAKE TWO MANS FOR RIDE. NOW YOU SAY WE MOOS' SPLIT COMMISSION WITH THEES TWO SOLDIER FOR DOING JOB, EH?
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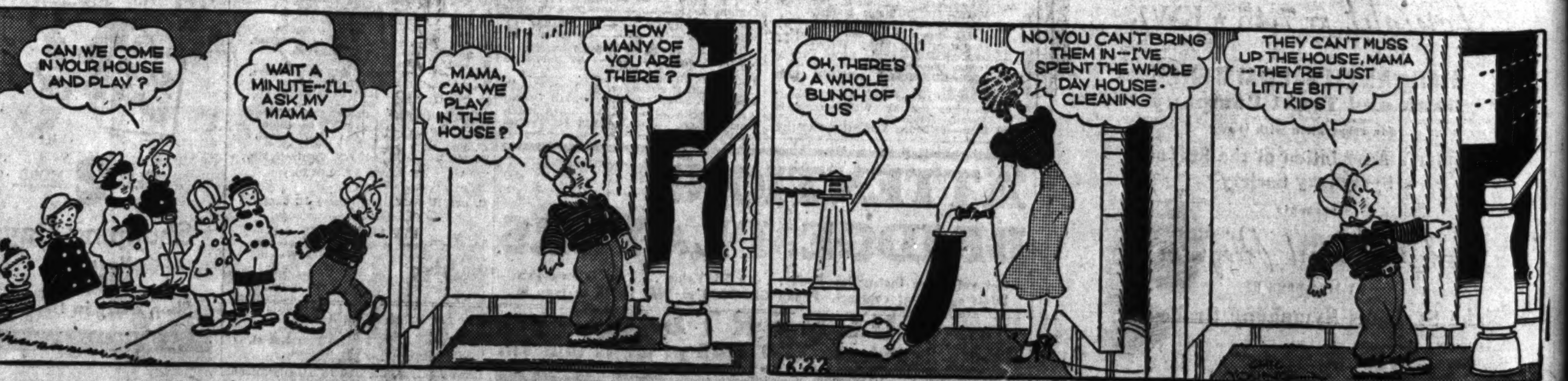
PEDRO! LOOK ON THEES MEDAL WHICH SHOW THEES TWO BOY ARE AXPERT IN CHOKING, KILLING, SO ON.
NO NO! WE WILL NOT SPLIT COMMISSION FOR...
PEDRO! BORIS! ENOUGH. WHY NOT MAKE THEES NEW BOYS HAPPY BY LET THEM STAB THEES TWO DETECTIVE?
DETECTIVES?
HERE ARE NAMES. DO NICE SWEET JOB SO THEY DIE VAR-RY VA-RR-Y SLOW.
INSPECTOR GANDER AND..
BUNGLE!
Reg. U.S. Pat. Off.

**Blondie**—By Chic Young *It's a "Small Matter"* (Copyright, 1937.)


CAN WE COME IN YOUR HOUSE AND PLAY?
WAIT A MINUTE—I'LL ASK MY MAMA
MAMA, CAN WE PLAY IN THE HOUSE?
HOW MANY OF YOU ARE THERE?
OH, THERE'S A WHOLE BUNCH OF US
NO, YOU CAN'T BRING THEM IN—I'VE SPENT THE WHOLE DAY HOUSE-CLEANING
THEY CAN'T MUSS UP THE HOUSE, MAMA —THEY'RE JUST LITTLE BITTY KIDS
12-22
CHIC YOUNG

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Trend of Today's Ma

Stocks heavy. Bonds mixed.
Foreign exchange steady. Cot
Wheat weak. Corn firm.

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# SYMPHONY MAKES THREAT TO QUIT CITY AUDITORIUM

### Notifies Mayor It Will Go Elsewhere Next Season Unless More Parking Space Is Provided.

## SEASON TICKET SALES DECLINE

### Loss in Attendance Attributed to Elimination of Plaza Privilege—Dickmann's Suggestions.

The St. Louis Symphony Society served notice on Mayor Bernard F. Dickmann today that, unless something was done to provide adequate parking facilities at the Municipal Auditorium, it would hold its concerts elsewhere next season.

Members of the society attribute a decline in season ticket sales and box office receipts to elimination, this year, of the multiple parking privilege on the broad streets of the Memorial Plaza near the Auditorium.

The Mayor, after receiving the complaint, told a Post-Dispatch reporter he would see what he could do to correct the condition. He did not believe, he said, that streets should be "blockaded" by parked automobiles. He suggested that the city might lease parking lots or make some other arrangement with lot owners, which would provide parking space for a 10-cent fee.

A mistake had been made, the Mayor said, in not considering the parking problem when the Auditorium was being planned by previous city administrations.

**"Becoming a Scandal."**

In a letter to the Mayor, signed by Oscar Johnson, president of the Symphony Society, George Spearl, chairman of its executive committee, and W. G. Kimble, vice chairman of the executive committee, the society formally called on him to appoint a commission "to look into and correct parking and traffic conditions at the Municipal Auditorium which are fast becoming a public scandal."

These conditions, if uncorrected, the letter added, would force the Symphony to make "other arrangements" for holding its concerts next season.

A letter to James E. Darst, manager of the Auditorium, a copy of which was inclosed in the letter to the Mayor, said the present condition was "too great a burden" for the Symphony Society to bear.

**"Worst Fears Realized."**

"Our worst fears as to the effects of the present parking and traffic situation on our box office receipts and attendance are being more than realized," said the letter to Darst. "A large portion of our season has gone by without any effective action having been taken to relieve the present situation and, as already explained to your committee, we are looking to your board, as our landlord, to obtain whatever action is necessary to put an end to what is fast becoming a public scandal."

The Symphony Society officers, in their letter to Darst, rejected a suggestion made by the Mayor that they confer further with Director of Streets and Sewers Frank J. McDevitt, rather than directly with the Mayor. Their letter said they had nothing further to discuss with McDevitt, or the Municipal Auditorium commission, as both were fully conversant with the problem.

**Considering Removal.**

Spearl told a Post-Dispatch reporter that the directors of the Symphony Society had given "considerable attention" to the question of where they might hold their concerts, if not in the Municipal Auditorium. He declined to say what places were being considered.

Arthur J. Gaines, manager of the Symphony Orchestra, told a reporter the average attendance so far this season at its weekly pair of concerts was 4636, a decline of 775 from the average at this time last year. Box office receipts from sale of tickets for individual concerts, Gaines said, had fallen from an average of $1016 last year for each pair of concerts to $586 this year. Season ticket sales were about 450 below last year's total.

**Offices Rent Free.**

The Symphony Society has a contract to pay the city $15,000 for use of the Municipal Auditorium for its regular season of 52 concerts. In addition, the society receives, rent free, five rooms on the fourth floor of the Auditorium, for its office quarters. For concerts in addition to the regular season, the contract calls for a rental fee of $275 for matinees and $350 for evenings.

When the existing contract was negotiated, last February, Gaines said, it was the "general assumption" that the multiple parking arrangement would be continued. The

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